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The porker has the run of the officers' area in a coconut grove just off the beach. He also has the officers on the run, according to Sgt. Claude R. Canup, a Marine Corps combat correspondent.

Once the colonel threatened to throw "Butch" into the brig. It seems that little porky has a fondness for taking shoes from one tent to another. It is not unusual for an officer to find a pair of 10's under his bunk instead of his 8's. "Or maybe a 10 and eight. As a matter of fact, "Butch" doesn't deal in pairs. He likes to mix them up—shoes and officers.

COUNTY BELOW STATE AVERAGE ON RELIEF LOAD

The percentage of residents of Adams county who received relief payments during last year was below the state average, reports laid before members of the Adams County Public Assistance board Tuesday evening by Mrs. Donald Myers, executive director, showed.

The state average was 25 persons per thousand while in Adams county the county office records show that only 24 persons in each thousand were on the relief rolls for general assistance, old age assistance, blind pensions or for aid to dependent mothers and children.

On the average 993 persons received relief funds each month in this county during last year, the figures disclosed.

Mrs. Myers' report also showed that the case load at the county office as of January 1 was a total of 663 cases, eight less than the same date for last year, and three below the 1944 monthly average of 666 cases.

Average Monthly Cost
On the average, 21 applications for relief payments were received at the North Washington street office each month last year. The monthly average cost per person on the relief rolls was \$19.38, Mrs. Myers said.

Breaking down the case load report for January 1, Mrs. Myers said there were 452 cases receiving old age assistance, 70 blind pensions, 78 and 63 general assistance cases.

Chairman M. Stuart Danner presided at the meeting with Mrs. R. S. Saby, Harold H. Reuning and J. Hayes Beard in attendance. The next meeting will be held February 13.

"WOODIE" MYERS IS NOW LT. COL.

Major Robert Elwood Myers, known to many friends here as "Woodie," has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel and decorated with the Bronze Star medal as a division staff officer in General Patton's Third Army on the Western front, members of his family here have learned.

Lt. Col. Myers, who is a graduate of Gettysburg high school and a former state highway department employe, entered active military duty early in 1941 from the Pennsylvania National guard becoming attached to the 28th Division.

He served chiefly in southern camps until last September when he went overseas a week after his last brief visit to Gettysburg. When next heard from he was in France.

The Bronze Star award was presented to him in recognition of his services in getting supplies and merrito to the front in the drive against the Nazis through France and into Germany. The promotion came at about the time the medal was awarded, near Christmas time.

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Not always does porky leave the right shoe in the wrong tent. Sometimes he takes a shoe out into the jungles. That is where the colonel found one of his.

The pig likes his daily bath which the warrant officer gives him. If the bath is not given on time, porky hops into his steel helmet of drinking water and tries to wallow. He is as clean as a pup and acts like one, even to chasing cats.

To make sure that WO Johnson is not late for work, "Butch" grunts and "nooses" him out of bed every morning at sunrise.

"Butch" wags his tail like a dog when chow is in sight. That is, when he is not about to eat a lizard, one of his favorite dishes.

For all his faults, the officers like "Butch" because he is their weather man. When he does not sleep under his master's bunk, but lies on some folded canvas in the tent, then all hands know that it will rain before morning. The pig has never given them "hum dope."

Area Scouters To Banquet Jan. 25

Dr. Frederick Tilberg, district chairman for the Black Walnut district of the York-Adams Area, Scout council, announced today that the annual council banquet meeting and court of honor will be held in the Valencia ballroom, 144 North George street in York, Thursday evening, January 25, at 6:45 o'clock.

During the meeting, nominations and election of council officers for the coming year; the opening of the Golden book of Eagle Scouts, and the awarding of the Silver Beaver, the highest honor a council may present to leaders, will take place.

Scouts may secure tickets from their troop chairmen, commissioners or district committee chairman. No reservations will be accepted after Monday, January 22, Doctor Tilberg said.

SCHOOL PUPILS SELL \$212,954 IN WAR BONDS

County schools sold \$212,954.70 worth of war bonds and stamps during the Sixth War Loan drive, Dr. Robert A. Bream, education chairman of the County War Finance committee, reported today.

Leader among the high schools in the county was the Gettysburg school with sales of \$43,233.70. Ardentville high school pupils were runners-up with \$40,900.

Other high school sales were as follows: Littlestown, \$28,850; DeLone Catholic high, McSherrytown, \$15,325; York Springs, \$11,900; Biglerville, \$7,850; East Berlin, \$6,425, and Fairfield, \$1,750.

Students in the Littlestown grade schools sold \$25,875 during the campaign. In Gettysburg, the Lincoln school led the grades with sales of \$8,796.45. St. Francis Xavier parochial school sold \$3,543.45 worth of bonds and stamps, the High street school pupils sold \$648.70 and the Meade school students sold \$613.50.

Other School Sales
Other county grade school sales were: Ardentville, \$3,543.45, and the Orrtanna elementary and primary school, \$1,246.

Doctor Bream also announced the names of 12 additional pupils who have been added to the Junior Brigade list for selling bonds. They are as follows:

Hampton school, Reading township, Jeanne S. Walsh, teacher—Joannee Stimer, \$25; Sylvia Schummel, \$25; Mary Hunt, \$25; Audrey Markle, \$25; Polly Rinker, \$50; Norma Emig, \$25.

Brysonia school, Menallen township, J. B. Bushey, teacher—Kenneth Dively, \$100.

Foundaintale school, Hamilton township, Mrs. Laura D. Higgins, teacher—Elaine Carbaugh, \$100, and Mary Jane Carson, \$100.

Pleikes school, Huntingdon township, Myrtle B. Hoak, teacher—Russell Klinedinst, \$150.

Mount Pleasant school, Conewago township, Gertrude E. Renner, teacher—Alvin Burns, \$25, and Earl Humbert, \$25.

Rev. Gresh Will Be Union Service Speaker

"Pray for Our Enemies" will be the topic of the sermon this evening by the Rev. Ralph R. Gresh, St. James Lutheran pastor, who will be the preacher for the union Week of Prayer service to be conducted in the Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock.

The pastor, the Rev. Robert M. Hunt, will conduct the service. The offering will go to the American Bible Society.

The United Brethren church was well filled Tuesday evening for the service at which the Rev. Harry S. Ecker, Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian pastor, was the preacher. The offering of \$21 was turned over to the American Bible Society.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Charles Shreds, 203 Hanover street; Mrs. Myles Weikert, Biglerville; Mrs. David Starnier, Taneytown; Mrs. Harry E. Whitcomb, York Springs R. 2; Joyce Topper, McKnightstown; Alvey Gantz, Aspers, and Mrs. Frank Weaver, Gettysburg R. 4, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Howard Miller, South Washington street, and Mrs. Blair Orner, Gardeners.

MacARTHUR WADES ASHORE; JAPS FRANTIC WITH RAGE; ALLIES ARE CLOSING BULGE

By JAMES M. LONG

Paris, Jan. 10 (AP)—Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's seasoned Third Army advanced up to a mile and a half today on a broad front into the southern flank of the snow piled Belgian bulge, striking to within four and a half miles of the key road center of Houffalize, already under artillery fire from the north.

The American First Army on the north drove into Vielsalm, nine miles west of St. Vith. The Second Armored Division, in a furious tank battle, captured the Secondary road center of Samree, three miles northeast of LaRoche. British units moved to within a half mile of LaRoche.

The Germans were declared to have started "a measured, step by step withdrawal" from the western tip of the bulge, where the British Second Army scooped up five villages in an advance of a mile or more.

The neck of the Belgian bulge was less than nine miles wide. Patton struck north into that neck above Bastogne on a 20-mile front extending into Luxembourg almost to the German frontier.

Deep Snow, Bitter Cold

Far to the south, however, diversionary enemy attacks struck to within 14 miles south of Strasbourg through the French First Army. By dogged fighting, the Sixth Army group of Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers slugged back into the Rhine bridgehead town of Gumbenheim, nine miles northeast of the ancient Alsatian city.

Deep snow and bitter cold hampered operations against the bulge, but Allied forces "continued to make progress," Gen. Eisenhower's communique said.

Troops and tanks of Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' First Army posed a grave threat within three miles of the last good road within the salient, the St. Vith-Houffalize highway.

The British Second Army captured Forrières, Hodister and retook Bure at the western end of the bulge.

The 82nd Airborne Division fought into Vielsalm (pop. 3,481), nine miles west of St. Vith, major German base in the bulge. Other infantry fought down the last 1,300 yards toward Laroche, also a highway center.

Tank Battle Raging
The biggest tank battle of the whole campaign within the Ardennes flared into its second day as the crossroads village of Samree, three miles northeast of Laroche, which the Yanks won.

On the tough south side of the salient, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army advanced along a 20-mile front from north of Bastogne to east of the Luxembourg town of Wiltz, with the famous 101st Airborne Division reaching a point only four and a half miles south of Houffalize. That road junction, almost in the center of the bulge, was under shellfire from south and north.

Patton's advances ranged from a few yards to a mile and a half. Berle, three miles west of Wiltz and seven southeast of Bastogne was captured.

Canadians Advance

The Canadian First Army in Holland enveloped a dormant sector by advancing a mile near Wyler, eight miles southeast of Nijmegen.

Third Army gains on the south generally were a half mile forward in the area west of the three-sided pocket southeast of Bastogne, between Warden and Wiltz. East of the salient, gains in Luxembourg ranged to a mile and a half. High (Please Turn to Page 2)

Promote Countian To First Lieutenant

Daytona Beach, Fla., Jan. 9.—Officials at Welch Convalescent hospital headquarters have announced the promotion of Charles L. Bollinger, MAC-AUS, who formerly lived at 49 E. King street, Littlestown, to the rank of first lieutenant. He is assigned as registrar at Welch hospital, the Army's new reconditioning center for returned overseas veterans at Daytona Beach.

Lieutenant Bollinger was associated with the Brandt-Warner Manufacturing company, of York, before his entry into the Army in January, 1941.

Radio Freedom Speaks

(By the Associated Press)
The Voice of Freedom which has not broadcast from Luzon since the fall of Corregidor, came back on the air today shortly after Gen. Douglas MacArthur's invasion of Luzon, the main Philippine island.

The broadcast, monitored by the Federal Communications Commission, repeated MacArthur's first communique on the Luzon invasion. Attached to MacArthur's headquarters, the Voice of Freedom's

By The Associated Press

General MacArthur's Headquarters on Luzon, Philippines
—Tens of thousands of American troops, landing with Gen. Douglas MacArthur yesterday in Lingayen gulf on western Luzon island, drove tank-led spearheads south across flatlands toward Manila today in the climactic showdown fight for the Philippines.

Manila was less than 120 miles away through low, dry country excellently suited for the enormous quantities of mechanized equipment landed with the veteran fighting men from an 800-ship convoy which stretched out for 70 miles.

Twenty-four hours after the initial landings, made against amazingly light opposition at 9:30 a. m., the Sixth Army Yanks still were pouring ashore and over the same crescent of sand dunes the Japanese invaders used three years ago.

Landing losses were officially reported as very light.

General MacArthur, wading ashore with an assault wave, established headquarters on the island where his outnumbered men fought valiantly in defeat at Bataan and Corregidor.

Beaches Are Cleared

With the support of a blistering dawn naval and air barrage of shells, bombs and rockets, Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army veterans landed along 14 miles of Lingayen Gulf, found the beaches virtually cleared of defenders and quickly pushed inland.

The beachhead extended from near Lingayen City on the southern shore eastward to San Fabian.

The low American casualties refuted enemy warnings that an invasion of Luzon would be a costly undertaking from the start. Japanese defenses ashore were woefully inadequate. Some trenches were only a foot deep.

(Broadcasts from the scene said the Japanese were so frantic with rage some swam out and threw hand grenades at the American ships, "like throwing a snowball at a hot stove.")

Of momentous importance in tightening a military noose on Japan, the invasion was orderly.

3,000 Small Craft
There was no bloody battle on the beaches. The Americans merely ploughed up the invasion ground with a fearsome preliminary barrage of hundreds of tons of metal and swarmed ashore calmly. At one point only 11 snipers could be found in an hour's search.

Fully 3,000 small amphibious craft, loaded with troops, nestled near the transports until the fearsome curtain of naval gunfire and rockets lifted. Then the landing waves headed toward beaches well churned up by American metal.

Before the landing, the huge invasion armada weathered the most deadly air attack the Japanese could mount, dating back to Jan. 5. The enemy had the convoy under observation from the time it started, but waited until it approached Luzon before attacking with the fury of desperation.

Heavy Jap Losses

American interceptor pilots and antiaircraft guns knocked down at least 79 planes. MacArthur's communique acknowledged some loss and damage, but a high Seventh Fleet officer said it did not impair the efficiency of the striking force.

A week of warship shelling by Adm. William F. Halsey's Third Fleet and air raids on Japan's entire inner defense perimeter, cutting deeply into the enemy's air aircraft, preceded the invasion. These took in the Kuriles, Japan, the Ryukyus, Bonin and Volcano Islands, Formosa and Luzon.

Third fleet carrier planes intensively pounded Luzon Saturday and Sunday and Formosa, Japan's big supply base for the Philippines Tuesday, Philippines time. They also hit Okanawa in the Ryukyu chain to the north. In all, 262 Japanese planes were destroyed or damaged and 73 ships sunk or crippled.

China-based Superfortresses bombed Formosa Tuesday and found no fighter opposition or antiaircraft, testifying to the effectiveness of the carrier plane raids.

HOME ON LEAVE

Pvt. Olden H. Shultz, 131 West High street, is home on an 18-day furlough before reporting to the 316th General hospital at Fort Lewis, Washington.



Luzon Island in the Philippines which was invaded by American forces. The landings were made at Lingayen, north of Manila and the beachheads extended northeast to San Fabian, toward Baguio. Good progress is reported as the spearheads pressed southward toward Manila over low, dry country. The Japs made their landings on Luzon at the same place a little more than three years ago.

Invasion Sidelights

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Gen. MacArthur's spectacular return to Luzon after three years of dogged island warfare at last places American bayonets in the jugular vein of the Japanese empire.

As the strategy of the Pacific war is now sized up in military quarters here, there are two main objectives in the invasion of the main island of the Philippines. These are:

1. To gain air and naval bases which will command the enemy's vital sea lanes between the Japanese homeland and the rich stolen empire in Malaya and the Dutch Indies. As soon as Luzon can be sufficiently conquered to get these bases in operation it should be virtually impossible for the Japanese to carry on any sort of transport through the South China sea.

2. To provide a jumping off place for further moves against the enemy probably including both a thrust across the China sea to the Asiatic mainland and an amphibious campaign against Japan itself.

May Liberate Yanks

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—About 6,000 American civilians are still in the Philippines and officials here expect that they will be liberated when Luzon is freed.

Most are at the Santo Tomas camp outside Manila, on Luzon.

The situation as to American prisoners of war is extremely unclear, however, and there is little hope that many of the men captured during the days of Bataan and Corregidor can be freed when General MacArthur's troops get back there.

Tokyo Fights Flames

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Japan, beset by General MacArthur's onslaught against the Philippines, battled flames today in its capital city and tallied damage on Formosa in the wake of the latest Superfortress strikes.

Some 40 Saipan-based B-29s slamming explosives and fire bombs on Tokyo yesterday for the first time in two weeks touched off fires in (Please Turn to Page 2)

Weather Forecast

Some cloudiness, continued cold tonight; Thursday considerable cloudiness, little change in temperature.

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"Butch" is the pride and joy of his master, Commissioned Warrant Officer Arthur F. Johnson, Lincolnway West, Gettysburg, adjutant of the service squadron of a Marine Aircraft Group.

The porker has the run of the officers' area in a coconut grove just off the beach. He also has the officers on the run, according to Sgt. Claude R. Canup, a Marine Corps combat correspondent.

Once the colonel threatened to throw "Butch" into the brig. It seems that little porky has a fondness for taking shoes from one tent to another. It is not unusual for an officer to find a pair of 10's under his bunk instead of his eight's. "Or maybe a 10 and eight. As a matter of fact, "Butch" doesn't deal in pairs. He likes to mix them up—shoes and officers.

COUNTY BELOW STATE AVERAGE ON RELIEF LOAD

The percentage of residents of Adams county who received relief payments during last year was below the state average, reports laid before members of the Adams County Public Assistance board Tuesday evening by Mrs. Donald Myers, executive director, showed.

The state average was 25 persons per thousand while in Adams county the county office records show that only 24 persons in each thousand were on the relief rolls for general assistance, old age assistance, blind pensions or for aid to dependent mothers and children.

On the average 993 persons received relief funds each month in this county during last year, the figures disclosed.

Mrs. Myers' report also showed that the case load at the county office as of January 1 was a total of 663 cases, eight less than the same date for last year, and three below the 1944 monthly average of 666 cases.

Average Monthly Cost

On the average, 21 applications for relief payments were received at the North Washington street office each month last year. The monthly average cost per person on the relief rolls was \$19.38, Mrs. Myers said.

Breaking down the case load report for January 1, Mrs. Myers said there were 452 cases receiving old age assistance, 70 blind pensions, 78 and 63 general assistance cases.

Chairman M. Stuart Danner presided at the meeting with Mrs. R. S. Saby, Harold H. Reuning and J. Hayes Beard in attendance. The next meeting will be held February 13.

"WOODIE" MYERS IS NOW LT. COL.

Major Robert Elwood Myers, known to many friends here as "Woodie," has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel and decorated with the Bronze Star medal as a division staff officer in General Patton's Third Army on the Western front, members of his family here have learned.

Lt. Col. Myers, who is a graduate of Gettysburg high school and a former state highway department employe, entered active military duty early in 1941 from the Pennsylvania National guard becoming attached to the 28th Division.

He served chiefly in southern camps until last September when he went overseas a week after his last brief visit to Gettysburg. When next heard from he was in France.

The Bronze Star award was presented to him in recognition of his services in getting supplies and merrit to the front in the drive against the Nazis through France and into Germany. The promotion came at about the time the medal was awarded, near Christmas time.

Mrs. Myers, the former Miss Marian Beales, resides in Paxtang with their 11-year-old son, Richard.

Area Scouters To Banquet Jan. 25

Dr. Frederick Tilberg, district chairman for the Black Walnut district of the York-Adams Area, Scout council, announced today that the annual council banquet meeting and court of honor will be held in the Valencia ballroom, 144 North George street in York, Thursday evening, January 25, at 6:45 o'clock.

During the meeting, nominations and election of council officers for the coming year; the opening of the Golden book of Eagle Scouts, and the awarding of the Silver Beaver, the highest honor a council may present to leaders, will take place.

Scouts may secure tickets from their troop chairmen, commissioners or district committee chairman. No reservations will be accepted after Monday, January 22, Doctor Tilberg said.

SCHOOL PUPILS SELL \$212,954 IN WAR BONDS

County schools sold \$212,954.70 worth of war bonds and stamps during the Sixth War Loan drive, Dr. Robert A. Bream, education chairman of the County War Finance committee, reported today.

Leader among the high schools in the county was the Gettysburg school with sales of \$43,233.70. Ardentville high school pupils were runners-up with \$40,900.

Other high school sales were as follows: Littlestown, \$26,850; DeLone Catholic high, McSherrystown, \$15,525; York Springs, \$11,900; Biglerville, \$7,850; East Berlin, \$6,425, and Fairfield, \$1,750.

Students in the Littlestown grade schools sold \$25,675 during the campaign. In Gettysburg, the Lincoln school led the grades with sales of \$8,796.45. St. Francis Xavier parochial school sold \$3,543.45 worth of bonds and stamps, the High street school pupils sold \$648.70 and the Meade school students sold \$613.50.

Other School Sales
Other county grade school sales were: Ardentville, \$3,543.45, and the Orrtanna elementary and primary school, \$1,246.

Doctor Bream also announced the names of 12 additional pupils who have been added to the Junior Brigade list for selling bonds. They are as follows:

Hampton school, Reading township, Jeanne S. Walsh, teacher—Joanaleene Stimer, \$25; Sylvia Schimmel, \$25; Mary Hunt, \$25; Audrey Markle, \$25; Polly Rinkler, \$50; Norma Emig, \$25.

Brysonia school, Menallen township, J. B. Bushey, teacher—Kenneth Dively, \$100.

Fountaindale school, Hamilton township, Mrs. Laura D. Higgins, teacher—Elaine Carbaugh, \$100, and Mary Jane Carson, \$100.

Fickes school, Huntingdon township, Myrtle B. Hoak, teacher—Russell Klinedinst, \$150.

Mount Pleasant school, Conewago township, Gertrude E. Renner, teacher—Alvin Burns, \$25, and Earl Humbert, \$25.

Rev. Gresh Will Be Union Service Speaker

"Pray for Our Enemies" will be the topic of the sermon this evening by the Rev. Ralph R. Gresh, St. James Lutheran pastor, who will be the preacher for the union Week of Prayer service to be conducted in the Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock.

The pastor, the Rev. Robert M. Hunt, will conduct the service. The offering will go to the American Bible Society.

The United Brethren church was well filled Tuesday evening for the service at which the Rev. Harry S. Ecker, Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian pastor, was the preacher. The offering of \$21 was turned over to the American Bible Society.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Charles Sheads, 203 Hanover street; Mrs. Myles Weikert, Biglerville; Mrs. David Starnier, Taneytown; Mrs. Harry E. Whitcomb, York Springs R. 2; Joyce Tomper, McKnightstown; Alvey Gantz, Aspers, and Mrs. Frank Weaver, Gettysburg R. 4, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Howard Miller, South Washington street, and Mrs. Blair Orner, Gardeners.

MacARTHUR WADES ASHORE; JAPS FRANTIC WITH RAGE; ALLIES ARE CLOSING BULGE

By JAMES M. LONG

Paris, Jan. 10 (AP)—Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's seasoned Third Army advanced up to a mile and a half today on a broad front into the southern flank of the snow piled Belgian bulge, striking to within four and a half miles of the key road center of Houffalize, already under artillery fire from the north.

The American First Army on the north drove into Vielsalm, nine miles west of St. Vith. The Second Armored Division, in a furious tank battle, captured the Secondary road center of Samree, three miles northeast of LaRoche. British units moved to within a half mile of LaRoche.

The Germans were declared to have started "a measured, step by step withdrawal" from the western tip of the bulge, where the British Second Army scooped up five villages in an advance of a mile or more.

The neck of the Belgian bulge was less than nine miles wide. Patton struck north into that neck above Bastogne on a 20-mile front extending into Luxembourg almost to the German frontier.

Deep Snow, Bitter Cold

Far to the south, however, diversionary enemy attacks struck to within 14 miles south of Strasbourg through the French First Army. By dogged fighting, the Sixth Army group of Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers slugged back into the Rhine bridgehead town of Gamsheim, nine miles northeast of the ancient Alsatian city.

Deep snow and bitter cold hampered operations against the bulge, but Allied forces "continued to make progress," Gen. Eisenhower's communique said.

Troops and tanks of Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' First Army posed a grave threat within three miles of the last good road within the salient, the St. Vith-Houffalize highway.

The British Second Army captured Forrières, Hodister and retook Bure at the western end of the bulge.

The 82nd Airborne Division fought into Vielsalm (pop. 3,481), nine miles west of St. Vith, major German base in the bulge. Other infantry fought down the last 1,300 yards toward Laroche, also a highway center.

Tank Battle Raging

The biggest tank battle of the whole campaign within the Ardennes flared into its second day for the crossroads village of Samree, three miles northeast of Laroche, which the Yanks won.

On the tough south side of the salient, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army advanced along a 20-mile front from north of Bastogne to east of the Luxembourg town of Wiltz, with the famous 101st Airborne Division reaching a point only four and a half miles south of Houffalize. That road junction, almost in the center of the bulge, was under shellfire from south and north.

Patton's advances ranged from a few yards to a mile and a half. Berle, three miles west of Wiltz and seven southeast of Bastogne was captured.

Canadians Advance

The Canadian First Army in Holland enlivened a dormant sector by advancing a mile near Wyler, eight miles southeast of Nijmegen.

Third Army gains on the south generally were a half mile forward in the area west of the three-sided pocket southeast of Bastogne, between Warden and Wiltz. East of the salient, gains in Luxembourg ranged to a mile and a half. High (Please Turn to Page 2)

Promote Countian To First Lieutenant

Daytona Beach, Fla., Jan. 9.—Officials at Welch Convalescent hospital headquarters have announced the promotion of Charles L. Bollinger, MAC-AUS, who formerly lived at 49 E. King street, Littlestown, to the rank of first lieutenant. He is assigned as registrar at Welch hospital, the Army's new reconditioning center for returned overseas veterans at Daytona Beach.

Lieutenant Bollinger was associated with the Brandt-Warner Manufacturing company, of York, before his entry into the Army in January, 1941.



Luzon Island in the Philippines which was invaded by American forces. The landings were made at Lingayen, north of Manila and the beachheads extended northeast to San Fabian, toward Baguio. Good progress is reported as the spearheads pressed southward toward Manila over low, dry country. The Japs made their landings on Luzon at the same place a little more than three years ago.

Invasion Sidelights

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Gen. MacArthur's spectacular return to Luzon after three years of dogged island warfare at last places American bayonets in the jugular vein of the Japanese empire.

As the strategy of the Pacific war is now sized up in military quarters here, there are two main objectives in the invasion of the main island of the Philippines. These are:

1. To gain air and naval bases which will command the enemy's vital sea lanes between the Japanese homeland and the rich stolen empire in Malaya and the Dutch Indies. As soon as Luzon can be sufficiently conquered to get these bases in operation it should be virtually impossible for the Japanese to carry on any sort of transport through the South China sea.

2. To provide a jumping off place for further moves against the enemy probably including both a thrust across the China sea to the Asiatic mainland and an amphibious campaign against Japan itself.

Radio Freedom Speaks

(By the Associated Press)
The Voice of Freedom which has not broadcast from Luzon since the fall of Corregidor, came back on the air today shortly after Gen. Douglas MacArthur's invasion of Luzon, the main Philippine island.

The broadcast, monitored by the Federal Communications Commission, repeated MacArthur's first communique on the Luzon invasion. Attached to MacArthur's headquarters, the Voice of Freedom's

Beaches Are Cleared

With the support of a blistering dawn naval and air barrage of shells, bombs and rockets, Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army veterans landed along 14 miles of Lingayen Gulf, found the beaches virtually cleared of defenders and quickly pushed inland.

The beachhead extended from near Lingayen City on the southern shore eastward to San Fabian.

The low American casualties refuted enemy warnings that an invasion of Luzon would be a costly undertaking from the start. Japanese defenses ashore were woefully inadequate. Some trenches were only a foot deep.

(Broadcasts from the scene said the Japanese were so frantic with rage some swam out and threw hand grenades at the American ships, "like throwing a snowball at a hot stove.")

Of momentous importance in tightening a military noose on Japan, the invasion was orderly.

3,000 Small Craft

There was no bloody battle on the beaches. The Americans merely ploughed up the invasion ground with a fearsome preliminary barrage of hundreds of tons of metal and swarmed ashore calmly. At one point only 11 snipers could be found in an hour's search.

Fully 3,000 small amphibious craft, loaded with troops, nestled near the transports until the fear-some curtain of naval gunfire and rockets lifted. Then the landing waves headed toward beaches well churned up by American metal.

Before the landing, the huge invasion armada weathered the most deadly air attack the Japanese could mount dating back to Jan. 5. The enemy had the convoy under observation from the time it started, but waited until it approached Luzon before attacking with the fury of desperation.

Heavy Jap Losses

American interceptor pilots and antiaircraft guns knocked down at least 79 planes. MacArthur's communique acknowledged some loss and damage, but a high Seventh Fleet officer said it did not impair the efficiency of the striking force.

A week of warship shelling by Adm. William F. Halsey's Third Fleet and air raids on Japan's entire inner defense perimeter, cutting deeply into the enemy's air aircraft, preceded the invasion. These took in the Kuriles, Japan, the Ryukyu, Bonin and Volcano Islands, Formosa and Luzon.

Third fleet carrier planes intensively pounded Luzon Saturday and Sunday and Formosa, Japan's big supply base for the Philippines Tuesday, Philippines time. They also hit Okanawa in the Ryukyu chain to the north. In all, 262 Japanese planes were destroyed or damaged and 73 ships sunk or crippled.

China-based Superfortresses bombed Formosa Tuesday and found no fighter opposition or antiaircraft, testifying to the effectiveness of the carrier plane raids.

HOME ON LEAVE

Pvt. Oiden H. Shultz, 131 West High street, is home on an 18-day furlough before reporting to the 316th General hospital at Fort Lewis, Washington.

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PIVOTAL BATTLE OF PACIFIC WAR HAS BEEN JOINED

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

The word for which we've been waiting since Bataan and "the march of death"—MacArthur has landed on Luzon and the pivotal battle of the war of the Pacific has been joined.

With consummate audaciousness the American commander has flung an army ashore on Lingayen gulf near the same spot employed by the victorious Japanese when they invaded the Philippines three years ago. He hit straight for the strategically logical point of entrance, as Nippon's own General Homma, conqueror of the Philippines, predicted that the Americans would have to do.

Tokyo says we have landed 60,000 troops from the 70 mile long convoy of 800 ships which crawled across the open waters like a huge serpent to challenge what might have been a desperate defense on the beaches. The fleet entered the gulf under the protection of a terrific air and naval barrage, and contrary to expectations encountered small resistance. As a result we quickly established a 15 mile beachhead and pushed rapidly inland to give the position the depth necessary for security.

Fine Beginning

Thus the MacArthur - Nimitz brotherhood has made a fine beginning of this crucial operation. It likely is far better than they had dared hope for, since they must have expected to encounter greater enemy resistance in the air and from shore batteries, and to have to fight up bloody beaches.

However, we shouldn't make the mistake of assuming that because the initial landing was easy, this is the gauge of the fight to come. This closing phase of the battle of the Philippines bids fair to be long and sanguinary. For the first time in the Pacific conflict we have two big armies facing each other in territory which is sufficiently open so that there can be a full scale war of movement.

The Japanese are powerfully set for the clash, and may be expected to make a last-ditch stand for this island, which is one of the keystones of their war structure. Their light resistance against our landing may have been due in part to doubt as to just where MacArthur expected to put his main force ashore. However, it's not unlikely that General Yamashita, the enemy commander, decided he would serve his interests better if he didn't try to defend the beaches under what he knew would be an absolutely annihilating barrage of bombs and shells.

Expect Counter-Attack

We may be sure that Yamashita has his plans for counter-attack. And he's a soldier of great capabilities, as witness his sensational conquest of the Malay peninsula and Singapore. MacArthur is up against a foe who is worthy of his steel and one who is bound to battle to a finish for this vital base.

As this column has pointed out before, the Jap war-lords can't long run their fighting machine without possession of the Philippines. With Luzon in our hands we shall have a base which dominates the Japanese life-line to their East Indies supplies, and which will enable us to strike by air and by sea at the China coast, the powerful naval base of Formosa and the Japanese mainland itself.

The Honor Of The Mikado

So the honor of the Mikado is in Yamashita's hands. While the Jap commander may be expected to put up a terrific fight, he is up against one handicap which is itself enough to beat him in the long run. He will be virtually cut off from outside supplies, if this hasn't already been accomplished, and so will be dependent on what resources he already possesses.

As MacArthur points out, the Americans have closed the Japanese back door for supplies. Henceforth, too, the U. S. and British fleets undoubtedly will maintain an air-tight blockade to cut Yamashita off from the outside world.

Add to this the fact that MacArthur knows the Philippines militarily as probably no other man does, and Yamashita's goose is cooked.

SLAP ON LIVE CATTLE

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP) — The government today slapped a flat price ceiling on live cattle.

The action, widely opposed by stockmen, carried with it a move to soothe opposition.

The original ceiling was set at \$18 a hundred weight instead of \$17.50 as originally proposed.

Announced by Stabilization Director Vinson, the measure becomes effective January 29.

The new overall ceiling, covering calves as well as cattle, will be lowered to \$17.50 on July 2.

NAVY PROMOTION

Edgar M. Raffensperger, son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Raffensperger, South Stratton street, was graduated from the Bainbridge Naval Training station last Saturday and was promoted from S-2 to S-1-C. He is a radio operator.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Wedding
Feist-Smith

Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Major and Mrs. Basil Smith, Grandview Terrace, and S. Sgt. George Feist, son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Feist, Steubenville, O., were united in marriage Monday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Francis Xavier Catholic church. The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, pastor of the bride.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dillman, Gettysburg. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride after which the couple left on a wedding trip.

Mrs. Feist will remain at her home until the end of the war. S. Sgt. Feist will leave January 19 upon completion of a furlough to report for duty in the Panama Canal Zone.

DEATH
Nathan Smith

Nathan Smith, 76, former plastering contractor of Abbotstown and York, died Monday night at 11:30 o'clock at his home in Spring Grove. He had been ill for more than a year. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Amanda Senft, and Miss Elizabeth Smith, Spring Grove, and four grandchildren. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Sauter funeral home, Spring Grove, by the Rev. Snyder Allen, Abbotstown. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery, Abbotstown. Friends may call at the funeral home this evening.

BULLETINS

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Eleven hundred U. S. Liberators and Flying Fortresses bombed bridges, airfields, and road junctions behind the Belgian bulge and along the Rhine today in a daring daylight raid supported by only 300 fighter escorts.

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Norwegian paratroopers dropped in to Norway have cut the main railway between Trondheim and Oslo, over which the Germans were being evacuated to Germany, a Norwegian government official disclosed today.

London, Jan. 10 (AP) — A Tokyo dispatch relayed by Berlin today quoted Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma, former Japanese commander-in-chief in the Philippines, as saying that with the American landing on Luzon "it may be taken for granted that the Japanese navy now will go into action and deal blows in this theater of operations."

Rome, Jan. 10 (AP)—British troops have driven a 30-man Nazi combat patrol back from the south bank of the Reno River, along which the Germans have dug in for a stand at the extreme eastern end of the Italian battlefield, Allied headquarters said today.

Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, Paris, Jan. 10 (AP)—Negotiation of a truce for evacuation of more French civilians from the St. Nazaire area indicates the Germans have no intention of surrendering the pockets they hold along the French Atlantic coast—and that the Allies have little hope of their speedy annihilation. About 100,000 Germans hold these pockets.

Los Angeles, Jan. 10 (AP) — The wreckage of an American Airlines plane carrying 21 passengers and three crew members was sighted today about five miles north of Lockheed air terminal, Burbank, a company spokesman announced.

GOES TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. George Brosius left for San Jose, Calif., Tuesday evening where she will meet her husband, Lieutenant Brosius, a Navy chaplain on an escort carrier in the Pacific area. Mrs. Brosius had airplane reservations for the trip, but last minute priority regulations caused a cancellation of her plane seat and she left by train. She took her infant daughter, Susan Ann, with her.

FILES DISCHARGE

An honorable discharge for Don R. Martin, Gardner, who served as a sergeant in the infantry, was filed this morning at the office of the register and recorder. Martin was inducted at Harrisburg May 1, 1941, and served until November 18, 1943, when he was discharged from Fort Jackson, S. C.

SUFFERS STROKE

Mrs. Sadie Stallsmith, who is past 80 years of age and who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. John W. Spangler and family, East Berlin, suffered a slight stroke Monday morning and is now critically ill at her daughter's home.

ASSUMES POSITION

Miss Mary Stock, Harrisburg street, has assumed her duties as clerk typist at the National Park office in the post office building. Miss Stock replaces Wayne Weagley, who has taken over the duties of John Bachensky. Bachensky is now employed in Philadelphia.

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SEEK CLOTHING FOR NEEDY KIDS IN U.S., ABROAD

Prof. J. Floyd Slaybaugh, county superintendent of schools, announced today the opening of a campaign in the county schools to secure donated clothing for the National Children's Clothing Crusade which is seeking to collect wearing apparel for children - both in the United States and abroad.

Professor Slaybaugh set January 31 as "Bundle Day" when each of the schools is to conduct exercises for the occasion and each pupil is requested to bring a bundle of clean discarded clothing to school for the collection.

This is the first time the county schools have participated in the drive although it is the fourth annual crusade. The national campaign is conducted by the Save the Children Federation of New York. Professor Slaybaugh addressed a letter to all of the principals and teachers of the county schools today in which he described the campaign and the method of collection which will be used.

Ask Usable Clothes

After the children have brought in their clothing bundles, the chairman of each non-high school district will gather the bundles from all schools in his or her district and take them to the nearest high school centers where the principals will have provided a storage room.

The collections from the high schools will be made by a truck from the local office of the state highway department which will bring the bundles from the high schools to a central collection building at Gettysburg.

"Clothing articles for the crusade should be any article suitable for wearing by small and large children," Professor Slaybaugh said. "Care should be taken not to donate clothing and shoes which are worn out. The articles should be those which you or I would want to receive should we be in need of them."

Chairmen Named

The principals of the individual high schools will act as chairmen of the drive at those centers. Professor Slaybaugh stated, and he named as chairmen of the non-high school districts, the following: Abbotstown, Mary E. Elder; Bendersville, Esta S. Fidler; Berwick, Samuel E. Baker; Butler, Verma O. Stock; Conowingo, John M. Wisser; Cumberland, Louella M. Minnich; Franklin, C. A. McCauslin; Freedom, Laura E. Hoy; Germany, Alton C. Bowers; Hamilton, Gerald L. Orndorff; Hamilton, Alma A. Henry; Highland, Mabel W. Bream; Huntington, C. L. Bricker; Lattimore, N. D. Stary; Liberty, Jessie W. Crouse; McSherrystown, Emma V. Grove; Menallen, J. B. Bushey; Mount Joy, Margaret S. Benner; Mount Pleasant, Ray J. Spensler; Oxford, Kathryn W. Donohue; Reading, Pearl E. Neideck; Strasban, Dorothy M. Duttray; Tyrone, George F. Weaver, and Union, C. F. Palmer.

Mercury Falls To 12 Degrees Here

Winter's latest cold wave made itself felt in Adams county Tuesday night when the official thermometers of Dr. Henry Stewart, local weather observer, recorded a low of 12 degrees. At 1:30 this afternoon the mercury had risen to but 19 degrees. At Arendtsville the low for the night was eight degrees.

(By The Associated Press)

Bitter cold tumbled temperatures to zero and below in Pennsylvania today. Forecasters predicted the weather would moderate tomorrow.

The cold wave, coming from the west, sent the mercury to four below at Clarion, in the northwest. Hazleton, in the hard coal fields, reported one below.

The Pittsburgh Automobile club reported roads in pretty fair shape, and advised against use of chains on highways where traffic has worn down the packed covering of snow and ice.

Half the rural roads in Erie county, hard-hit by a record snowfall this winter, remained closed. Highway route 89 into Erie was opened.

Estate Papers Are Filed At Court House

One will was filed for probate and an application for letters of administration was filed in a second estate at the office of Register and Recorder Winfield C. Horner this morning.

Mrs. Myrtle V. Wright, widow of the late T. Frank Wright of Menallen township, was named executrix of her late husband's estate. He died September 29, 1944.

The petition for letters of administration was filed by J. Alton Wolford, Gettysburg R. 4, in the estate of his late mother, Anna L. Wolford, Strasban township, who died December 9, 1944.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

A daughter was born at the Warner hospital Tuesday to Mrs. Harry E. Whitcomb, York Springs R. 2. Mrs. Whitcomb's husband, Private Whitcomb, was killed in action in Italy July 6, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. David Starnier, Taneytown, announce the birth of a daughter at the hospital this morning.

Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bower and daughter, Diane, York, were recent visitors of Mrs. Bower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawver, Biglerville.

Miss Jean Week was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Wensville Council for the Crusade for Christ of the Methodist church. Dale Crum was elected secretary-treasurer of the Bendersville Council for the Crusade for Christ. Mrs. Frank Donaldson was elected to the same office for the Orrtanna council.

Mrs. M. E. Howell, of Camden, N. J. is visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donihari, of Biglerville.

Pvt. William Wetzel, of Scott Field, Illinois, arrived this morning to spend a furlough with his wife at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Shue, of Biglerville.

The following officers were installed at the January meeting of the Volunteer class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school, Biglerville, Monday evening at the parsonage: President, Mrs. John Fidler; vice president, Mrs. Cella Raffensperger; secretary, Mrs. Kathryn Phillips; assistant secretary, Mrs. Edwin Minter, and treasurer, Mrs. Roy Himes. The hostess committee for the meeting included Mrs. Henry W. Sternat, Mrs. Robert P. Wentz, Mrs. John Crawford and Mrs. George Inskip.

Huge Army Plane Sets New Record

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Government officials traveled to the Capital's National airport today to take a look at a mammoth Army transport plane credited unofficially with flying here from Seattle in six hours and three minutes.

Known as the C-97, this double-decked transport version of the Superfortress zoomed the 2,335 miles non-stop. When it landed here last night one observer described it as "something like the Empire State building with wings."

Present official records for coast-to-coast flights were made last spring by AAA pilots in P-51 Mustang fighters. Col. C. A. Peterson and Lt. Col. Jack Carter then spanned the continent from Los Angeles to New York with respective records of six hours, 31 minutes, 30 seconds and six hours, 39 minutes, 30 seconds.

Last May the Lockheed Constellation flew from Los Angeles to Washington in six hours and 58 minutes.

Trainmen Die As Boiler Explodes

Rockville, Md., Jan. 10 (AP)—Two trainmen were killed but none of the passengers was injured early today when the locomotive boiler of a Baltimore and Ohio special passenger train exploded 22 miles west of this suburban Washington community.

None of the 13 passenger cars overturned and passengers, including military personnel, were only shaken up by the wreck. The car next to the locomotive was the only one to leave the rails.

The dead trainmen were identified by the company as Lloyd P. Frederick, Baltimore, engineer, and H. P. Brown, Baltimore, fireman. Their bodies were not found until several hours after the wreck.

Judy Garland To Wed Second Time

Hollywood, Jan. 10 (AP)—Judy Garland, the 22-year-old singing actress, and her film director, Vincente Minnelli, 32, will be married next fall, they have announced.

Minnelli met Miss Garland while he was directing her in "Meet Me in St. Louis." It will be his first marriage.

Miss Garland obtained a divorce decree last June from music composer Dave Rose and it will become final this June.

DEFER ACTION

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—The House Postwar Military Policy committee today deferred action on a universal military training law requested by President Roosevelt. The postponement was decided on to enable the House to devote its full attention to war manpower legislation.

PROBE CRASH

Pittsburgh, Jan. 10 (AP)—A verdict of "accidental" was returned yesterday by a coroner's jury in the rear-end trolley crash here last Nov. 14 when seven persons were killed and more than 30 injured. Coroner George D. McClelland said he recommended installation of speedometers in trolleys.

MAID BURNS

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—Mary Criss, 47, a maid employed at the Mountain View hotel on the Lincoln highway, was burned to death Tuesday when the mattress on which she slept caught fire. Hotel employees extinguished the flames.

TRAIN WRECK

Belfast, Northern Ireland, Jan. 10 (AP)—Fourteen persons were killed and at least 50 injured in a railroad accident here today. Most of the victims were shipyard and airplane factory workers.

Western Front INDUCTION RATE TO BE DOUBLED FOR EARLY '45

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ground on the south bank of the Wiltz river overlooking Wiltz (pop: 4,000) was taken.

"The Second (Hell On Wheels) Armored Division reached the outskirts of Samree on the north last night and fought through the night. That marked an advance of a mile or so. Samree controls a network of secondary roads and is on a bald elevation overlooking much ground in all directions.

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GIFT Jewels

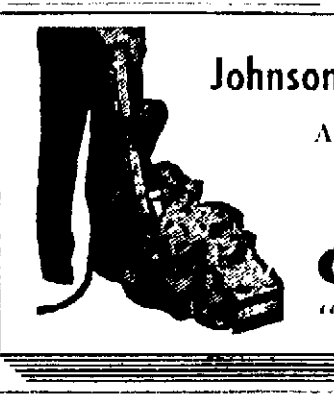
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PIVOTAL BATTLE OF PACIFIC WAR HAS BEEN JOINED

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

The word for which we've been waiting since Bataan and "the march of death"—MacArthur has landed on Luzon and the pivotal battle of the war of the Pacific has been joined.

With consummate audaciousness the American commander has flung an army ashore on Lingayen gulf near the same spot enjoyed by the victorious Japanese when they invaded the Philippines three years ago. He hit straight for the strategically logical point of entrance, as Nippon's own General Homma, conqueror of the Philippines, predicted that the Americans would have to do.

Tokyo says we have landed 60,000 troops from the 70 mile long convoy of 800 ships which crawled across the open waters like a huge serpent to challenge what might have been a desperate defense on the beaches. The fleet entered the gulf under the protection of a terrific air and naval barrage, and contrary to expectations encountered small resistance. As a result we quickly established a 15 mile beachhead and pushed rapidly inland to give the position the depth necessary for security.

Fine Beginning
Thus the MacArthur - Nimitz brotherhood has made a fine beginning of this crucial operation. It likely is far better than they had dared hope for, since they must have expected to encounter greater enemy resistance in the air and from shore batteries, and to have to fight up bloody beaches.

However, we shouldn't make the mistake of assuming that because the initial landing was easy, this is the gauge of the fight to come. This closing phase of the battle of the Philippines bids fair to be long and sanguinary. For the first time in the Pacific conflict we have two big armies facing each other in territory which is sufficiently open so that there can be a full scale war of movement.

The Japanese are powerfully set for the clash, and may be expected to make a last-ditch stand for this island, which is one of the keystones of their war structure. Their light resistance against our landing may have been due in part to doubt as to just where MacArthur expected to put his main force ashore. However, it's not unlikely that General Yamashita, the enemy commander, decided he would serve his interests better if he didn't try to defend the beaches under what he knew would be an absolutely annihilating barrage of bombs and shells.

Expect Counter-Attack
We may be sure that Yamashita has his plans for counter-attack. And he's a soldier of great capabilities, as witness his sensational conquest of the Malay peninsula and Singapore. MacArthur is up against a foe who is worthy of his steel and one who is bound to battle to a finish for this vital base.

As this column has pointed out before, the Jap war-lords can't long run their fighting machine without possession of the Philippines. With Luzon in our hands we shall have a base which dominates the Japanese life-line to their East Indies supplies, and which will enable us to strike by air and by sea at the China coast, the powerful naval-air base of Formosa and the Japanese mainland itself.

The Honor Of The Mikado
So the honor of the Mikado is in Yamashita's hands. While the Jap commander may be expected to put up a terrific fight, he is up against one handicap which is itself enough to beat him in the long run. He will be virtually cut off from outside supplies, if this hasn't already been accomplished, and so will be dependent on what resources he already possesses.

As MacArthur points out, the Americans have closed the Japanese back door for supplies. Henceforth, too, the U. S. and British fleets undoubtedly will maintain an air-tight blockade to cut Yamashita off from the outside world.

Add to this the fact that MacArthur knows the Philippines militarily as probably no other man does, and Yamashita's goose is cooked.

SLAP CEILING ON LIVE CATTLE

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—The government today slapped a flat price ceiling on live cattle.

The action, widely opposed by stockmen, carried with it a move to soothe opposition.

The original ceiling was set at \$18 a hundred weight instead of \$17.50 as originally proposed.

Announced by Stabilization Director Vinson, the measure becomes effective January 29.

The new overall ceiling, covering calves as well as cattle, will be lowered to \$17.50 on July 2.

NAVY PROMOTION

Edgar M. Raffensperger, son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Raffensperger, South Stratton street, was graduated from the Bainbridge Naval Training station last Saturday and was promoted from S-2-C to S-1-C. He is a radio operator.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Anna Frazer, West High street, spent Wednesday with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mark Frazer, in Hanover.

Sister Mary J. Barbehenn has returned to the Mary J. Drexel home, Philadelphia, after spending some time at the Barbehenn home, 218 North Stratton street. Mr. and Mrs. Clair E. Musser have returned to Philadelphia after spending some time at the Barbehenn home.

A nurses' aide corps meeting scheduled for Thursday evening has been postponed until Thursday at 7:30 p. m., January 18, at Hotel Gettysburg.

Miss Jane Stallsmith, Miss Mary Gott, Miss Mary Alice Stevens, of Washington, D. C., spent the weekend with Mrs. G. Henry Roth, Barlow street. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Dora Beall who had spent two weeks with Mrs. Roth.

The Campus club will meet Tuesday at 3 p. m., January 16, with Mrs. William Sundermyer, North Washington street.

Pvt. Robert Miller will leave for Ft. Sill, Okla., Sunday after completion of a furlough now being spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Miller, York street.

Dr. Charles F. Sanders, West Broadway, has returned from Shamokin where he spent the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. John B. Zinn, Jr., of Baltimore, is a guest of her husband's parents, Dr. and Mrs. John B. Zinn, West Broadway.

Robert Welch, S. I. e., who is stationed at Bainbridge, Md., has contracted scarlet fever and is a patient at the United States Hospital Corps school.

Mrs. Robert C. Miller and daughter, Mrs. William G. Weaver and her daughter, Miss Patsy Weaver, returned to Washington, D. C., today after spending the holidays at their home on Baltimore street.

Mrs. Edgar L. Deardorff entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home on Carlisle street.

Pfc. George Kitzmiller will leave this evening for Walker Army Air Field at Victoria, Kansas, after a furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Kitzmiller, West Middle street.

The Mother's class of St. James Lutheran Sunday school met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Raymond Goodmuth on York street with Mrs. Roy Enoch, Mrs. Charlie Curley and Mrs. Harmon Furney as the associate hostesses.

Mrs. David Blocher entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge club Tuesday afternoon at her home on West Middle street. The club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Roy W. Gifford, Oak Ridge.

Mrs. M. Hadwin Fischer, of Philadelphia, is a guest of Mrs. H. S. Lewars, Confederate avenue.

Mrs. Roy W. Gifford, Oak Ridge, has returned from Camp Meade, Md., where she spent a week with her husband, Major Gifford.

Lt. David C. Houck Seriously Wounded

First Lieutenant David C. Houck, 22, husband of the former Miss Marie Taylor, Biglerville R. D., was seriously wounded in action on the western front, December 24, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Houck, 728 Baltimore street, Hanover, from the War department Tuesday. Lt. Houck was recently reported in Germany.

The wounded officer graduated from Gettysburg college in 1943 and entered the service shortly after his graduation. While a student here he was cadet commander of the ROTC outfit. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity; Phi Beta Kappa honorary fraternity; Penn and Sword society; Scabbard and Blade society; advertising manager of The Gettysburgian; business manager of the Spectrum and basketball manager.

Lt. Houck is serving with a tank outfit. He received his training at Camp Campbell, Ky. His wife is residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Taylor, Biglerville R. D.

Husband Nabbed On Wife's Charge

Earl S. Bittinger, Cross Keys hotel, furnished \$500 bail for January court after his arrest Tuesday on a charge of desertion and non-support brought by his wife, Doris W. Bittinger, Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore reported today.

The information was filed before Justice Baschore by Mrs. Bittinger who charged her husband with desertion and failing to support her and their two children. Bittinger was arrested by Constable George Hughes and arraigned before Justice of the Peace Gerald Orndorff, Oxford township.

Wedding

Feist-Smith

Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Major and Mrs. Basil Smith, Grandview Terrace, and S. Sgt. George Feist, son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Feist, Steubenville, O., were united in marriage Monday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Francis Xavier Catholic church. The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, pastor of the bride.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dillman, Gettysburg. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride after which the couple left on a wedding trip.

Mrs. Feist will remain at her home until the end of the war. S. Sgt. Feist will leave January 19 upon completion of a furlough to report for duty in the Panama Canal Zone.

DEATH

Nathan Smith

Nathan Smith, 76, former plastering contractor of Abbotstown and York, died Monday night at 11:30 o'clock at his home in Spring Grove. He had been ill for more than a year. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Amanda Senft, and Miss Elizabeth Smith, Spring Grove, and four grandchildren. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Sauter funeral home, Spring Grove, by the Rev. Snyder Allen, Abbotstown. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery, Abbotstown. Friends may call at the funeral home this evening.

BULLETINS

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Eleven hundred U. S. Liberators and Flying Fortresses bombed bridges, airfields, and road junctions behind the Belgian bulge and along the Rhine today in a daring daylight raid supported by only 300 fighter escorts.

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Norwegian paratroopers dropped in to Norway have cut the main railway between Trondheim and Oslo, over which the Germans were being evacuated to Germany, a Norwegian government official disclosed today.

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—A Tokyo dispatch relayed by Berlin today quoted Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma, former Japanese commander-in-chief in the Philippines, as saying that with the American landing on Luzon "it may be taken for granted that the Japanese navy now will go into action and deal blows in this theater of operations."

Rome, Jan. 10 (AP)—British troops have driven a 30-man Nazi combat patrol back from the south bank of the Reno river, along which the Germans have dug in for a stand at the extreme eastern end of the Italian battlefield. Allied headquarters said today.

Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, Paris, Jan. 10 (AP)—Negotiation of a truce for evacuation of more French civilians from the St. Nazaire area indicates the Germans have no intention of surrendering the pockets they hold along the French Atlantic coast—and that the Allies have little hope of their speedy annihilation. About 100,000 Germans hold these pockets.

Los Angeles, Jan. 10 (AP)—The wreckage of an American Airlines plane carrying 21 passengers and three crew members was sighted today about five miles north of Lockheed air terminal, Burbank, a company spokesman announced.

GOES TO CALIFORNIA
Mrs. George Brosius left for San Jose, Calif., Tuesday evening where she will meet her husband, Lieutenant Brosius, a Navy chaplain on an escort carrier in the Pacific area.

Mrs. Brosius had airplane reservations for the trip, but last minute priority regulations caused a cancellation of her plane seat and she left by train. She took her infant daughter, Susan Ann, with her.

FILES DISCHARGE
An honorable discharge for Don R. Martin, Gardner, who served as a sergeant in the infantry, was filed this morning at the office of the register and recorder. Martin was inducted at Harrisburg May 1, 1941, and served until November 18, 1943, when he was discharged from Fort Jackson, S. C.

SUFFERS STROKE
Mrs. Sadie Stallsmith, who is past 80 years of age and who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. John W. Spangler and family, East Berlin, suffered a slight stroke Monday morning and is now critically ill at her daughter's home.

ASSUMES POSITION
Miss Mary Stock, Harrisburg street, has assumed her duties as clerk typist at the National Park office in the post office building. Miss Stock replaces Wayne Weagley, who has taken over the duties of John Bachensky. Bachensky is now employed in Philadelphia.

SEEK CLOTHING FOR NEEDY KIDS IN U.S., ABROAD

Prof. J. Floyd Slaybaugh, county superintendent of schools, announced today the opening of a campaign in the county schools to secure donated clothing for the National Children's Clothing Crusade which is seeking to collect wearing apparel for children both in the United States and abroad.

Professor Slaybaugh set January 31 as "Bundle Day" when each of the schools is to conduct exercises for the occasion and each pupil is requested to bring a bundle of clean discarded clothing to school for the collection.

This is the first time the county schools have participated in the drive although it is the fourth annual crusade. The national campaign is conducted by the Save the Children Federation of New York. Professor Slaybaugh addressed a letter to all of the principals and teachers of the county schools today in which he described the campaign and the method of collection which will be used.

Ask Usable Clothes
After the children have brought in their clothing bundles, the chairman of each non-high school district will gather the bundles from all schools in his or her district and take them to the nearest high school centers where the principals will have provided a storage room.

The collections from the high schools will be made by a truck from the local office of the state highway department which will bring the bundles from the high schools to a central collection building at Gettysburg.

"Clothing articles for the crusade should be any article suitable for wearing by small and large children," Professor Slaybaugh said. "Care should be taken not to donate clothing and shoes which are worn out. The articles should be those which you or I would want to receive should we be in need of them."

Chairmen Named
The principals of the individual high schools will act as chairmen of the drive at those centers. Professor Slaybaugh stated, and he named as chairmen of the non-high school districts, the following:

Abbotstown, Mary E. Elder; Bendersville, Esta S. Fidler; Berwick, Samuel E. Baker; Butler, Vern O. Stock; Conowingo, John M. Wisler; Cumberland, Louella M. Minnich; Franklin, C. A. McCauslin; Freedom, Laura E. Hoy; Germany, Alton C. Bowers; Hamilton, Gerald L. Orndorff; Hamilton, Alma A. Henry; Highland, Mabel W. Bream; Huntington, C. L. Bricker; Latimore, N. D. Stary; Liberty, Jessie W. Crouse; McSherrystown, Emma V. Grove; Menallen, J. B. Bushey; Mount Joy, Margaret S. Bonner; Mount Pleasant, Ray J. Spensler; Oxford, Kathryn W. Donohue; Reading, Pearl E. Neideck; Sandbar, Dorothy M. Duttera; Tyrone, George F. Weaver, and Union, C. F. Palmer.

Mercury Falls To 12 Degrees Here

Winter's latest cold wave made itself felt in Adams county Tuesday night when the official thermometers of Dr. Henry Stewart, local weather observer, recorded a low of 12 degrees. At 1:30 this afternoon the mercury had risen to but 19 degrees. At Arendtsville the low for the night was eight degrees.

(By The Associated Press)
Bitter cold tumbled temperatures to zero and below in Pennsylvania today. Forecasters predicted the weather would moderate tomorrow. The cold wave, coming from the west, sent the mercury to four below at Clarion, in the northwest. Hazleton, in the hard coal fields, reported one below.

The Pittsburgh Automobile club reported roads in pretty fair shape, and advised against use of chains on highways where traffic has worn down the packed covering of snow and ice.

Half the rural roads in Erie county, hard-hit by a record snowfall this winter, remained closed. Highway route 89 into Erie was opened.

Estate Papers Are Filed At Court House

One will was filed for probate and an application for letters of administration was filed in a second estate at the office of Register and Recorder Winfield G. Horner this morning.

Mrs. Myrtle V. Wright, widow of the late T. Frank Wright of Menallen township, was named executor of her late husband's estate. He died September 29, 1944.

The petition for letters of administration was filed by J. Alton Wolford, Gettysburg R. 4, in the estate of his late mother, Anna L. Wolford, Straban township, who died December 9, 1944.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

A daughter was born at the Warner hospital Tuesday to Mrs. Harry E. Whitcomb, York Springs R. 2. Mrs. Whitcomb's husband, Private Whitcomb, was killed in action in Italy July 6, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. David Starnier, Taneytown, announce the birth of a daughter at the hospital this morning.

Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bower and daughter, Diane, York, were recent visitors of Mrs. Bower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawver, Biglerville.

Miss Jean Wenk was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Wenksville Council for the Crusade for Christ of the Methodist church. Dale Crum was elected secretary-treasurer of the Bendersville Council for the Crusade for Christ. Mrs. Frank Donaldson was elected to the same office for the Ortianna council.

Mrs. M. E. Howell, of Camden, N. J., is visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donharl, of Biglerville.

Pvt. William Wetzel, of Scott Field, Illinois, arrived this morning to spend a furlough with his wife at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Shue, of Biglerville.

The following officers were installed at the January meeting of the Volunteer class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school, Biglerville, Monday evening at the parsonage: President, Mrs. John Fidler; vice president, Mrs. Celia Raffensperger; secretary, Mrs. Kathryn Phillips; assistant secretary, Mrs. Edwin Minter, and treasurer, Mrs. Roy Himes. The hostess committee for the meeting included Mrs. Henry W. Starnier, Mrs. Robert P. Wentz, Mrs. John Crawford and Mrs. George Inskip.

Huge Army Plane Sets New Record

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Government officials traveled to the Capital's National airport today to take a look at a mammoth Army transport plane credited unofficially with flying here from Seattle in six hours and three minutes.

Known as the C-97, this double deked transport version of the Superfortress zoomed the 2,335 miles non-stop. When it landed here last night one observer described it as "something like the Empire State building with wings."

Present official records for coast-to-coast flights were made last spring by AAA pilots in P-51 Mustang fighters. Col. C. A. Peterson and Lt. Col. Jack Carter then spanned the continent from Los Angeles to New York with respective records of six hours, 31 minutes, 30 seconds and six hours, 39 minutes, 30 seconds.

Last May the Lockheed Constellation flew from Los Angeles to Washington in six hours and 58 minutes.

Trainmen Die As Boiler Explodes

Rockville, Md., Jan. 10 (AP)—Two trainmen were killed but none of the passengers was injured early today when the locomotive boiler of a Baltimore and Ohio special passenger train exploded 22 miles west of this suburban Washington community.

None of the 13 passenger cars overturned and passengers, including military personnel, were only shaken up by the wreck. The car next to the locomotive was the only one to leave the rails.

The dead trainmen were identified by the company as Lloyd P. Frederick, Baltimore, engineer, and H. P. Brown, Baltimore, fireman. Their bodies were not found until several hours after the wreck.

Judy Garland To Wed Second Time

Hollywood, Jan. 10 (AP)—Judy Garland, the 22-year-old singing actress, and her film director, Vincente Minnelli, 32, will be married next fall, they have announced.

Minnelli met Miss Garland while he was directing her in "Meet Me in St. Louis." It will be his first marriage.

Miss Garland obtained a divorce last June from music composer Dave Rose and it will become final this June.

DEFER ACTION

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—The House Postwar Military Policy committee today deferred action on a universal military training law requested by President Roosevelt. The postponement was decided on to enable the House to devote its full attention to war manpower legislation.

PROBE CRASH

Pittsburgh, Jan. 10 (AP)—A verdict of "accidental" was returned yesterday by a coroner's jury in the rear-end trolley crash here last Nov. 14 when seven persons were killed and more than 30 injured. Coroner George D. McClelland said he recommended installation of speedometers in trolleys.

MAID BURNS

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—Mary Criss, 47, a maid employed at the Mountain View hotel on the Lincoln highway, was burned to death Tuesday when the mattress on which she slept caught fire. Hotel employees extinguished the flames.

TRAIN WRECK

Belfast, Northern Ireland, Jan. 10 (AP)—Fourteen persons were killed and at least 50 injured in a railroad accident here today. Most of the victims were shipyard and airplane factory workers.

Arendtsville

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heller and family have moved from the Roy Heckenluber farm, near town to Biglerville. Mr. Heller, who was employed by Mr. Heckenluber, has secured employment in Biglerville.

The Boy Scouts with their leaders, Luther Lady and the Rev. Nevil R. Frantz, collected over 3,000 pounds of paper Monday evening.

Mrs. Noah Vines, Miss Betty Vines and Mr. and Mrs. Brown Vines, of Johnson City, Tennessee, have been spending a few days with Vines' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price and with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clold Vines. The Vines formerly lived near Arendtsville.

M. E. Knouse and A. J. Carbaugh were business visitors in Reading Monday.

The Rev. H. W. Starnier, pastor of the Biglerville Lutheran church will preach in the Reformed church this evening at the second of the Week of Prayer services.

Mrs. Harry Walter is confined to her bed by illness.

REEDY FAMILY IN NEW HOME

The Roy Reedy family, made homeless by a fire which destroyed their home and took the lives of three children December 21, now is occupying five rooms in the tenant house on the Ed Taughinbaugh farm on the Taughinbaugh fruit farm at the edge of Hunterstown and near the Reedy farm.

The furniture donated by Gettysburgians was moved into the rooms made available by Mr. Taughinbaugh by a van donated for the job by George Ditchburn. The disaster committee of the Red Cross, headed by Glenn L. Bream, was in charge of the job.

Today Mr. Bream expressed his thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Borden, Gettysburg R. 4, who opened their home to all the Reedy family from the time of the fire until they moved to the Taughinbaugh property. He also thanked Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Millhies, Reedy's neighbors, for providing shelter for Reedy boys the night of the fire. He expressed the appreciation of his committee to the individuals, Sunday school classes, lodges and other groups that gave furniture, bed clothing, cooking utensils and cash to the Reedy family; to the Britcher and Bender drug store for donating necessary toilet articles for the family; to Mrs. Earl Bowen and Mrs. LeRoy H. Winebrenner, Red Cross staff members; Miss Mary Ramer, the Soroptomists and other groups and committees who helped the Reedy family.

Sidelights

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the target, the War department announced.

U. S. Aerial Might
U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Jan. 10 (AP)—America's aerial might, by assaults on Japan's supply line island of Formosa, on the Japanese homeland itself, and on the American landing objective of Luzon island, helped clear the path for Gen. Douglas MacArthur's triumphant return to the main island of the Philippines.

Carrier pilots, Army fliers from many bases, B-29 crews from bases on Saipan and the Chinese mainland carried on incessant attacks closely coordinated with the movement of transports and fighting ships toward the beachheads established on Lingayen gulf.

Navy and Marine fliers, in a three-day assault over the strategic Luzon-Formosa-Okinawa Japanese defense orbit destroyed or damaged 262 planes and sank or damaged 73 ships, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz disclosed yesterday.

These carrier attacks were January 5, 6 and 8 U. S. date. The MacArthur landings on Luzon occurred January 8, U. S. date.

SOROPTIMISTS

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ed chairman of a committee in charge of a card party to be held January 26. Other committee members are Mrs. Milton Bender, Mrs. Beales, Mrs. Clyde Berger, Mrs. Wilmer Bream, Mrs. Guyon Buehler, Mrs. Burnell Boulh and Mrs. John Bachensky.

Mrs. Luella Musselman Arnold, of Biglerville, was introduced as a new member. A letter of appreciation from Mrs. Abigail H. Zell, of Philadelphia, director of the North Atlantic region of the Soroptimist clubs was read. She expressed her thanks for cards sent to her by the local club during a recent hospitalization.

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Interesting News Of Upper Adams Countians And Their Enterprises

MARTIN CITES PRODUCTION, COOPERATION AS FARM GOALS

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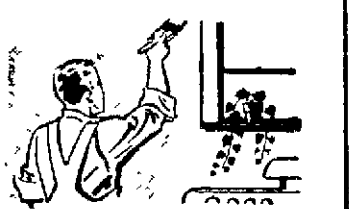
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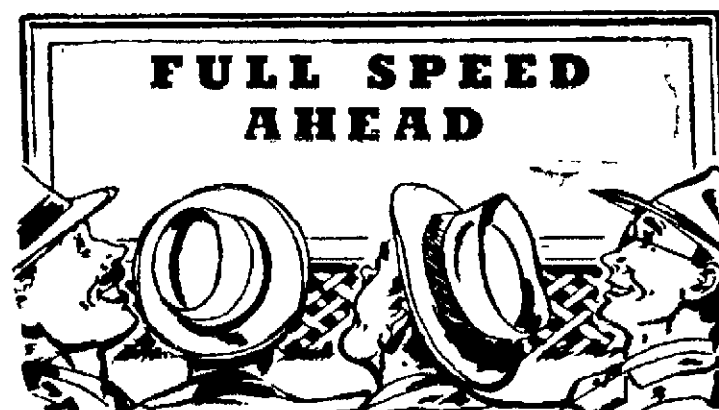


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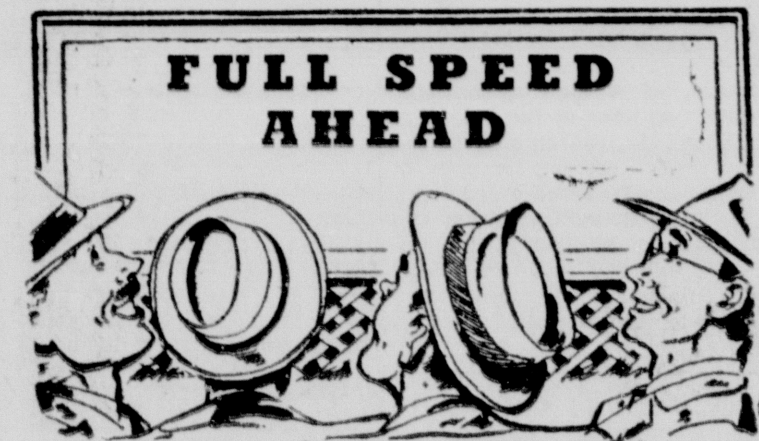


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Read the funnies! Yes, I will,
If you'll listen and be still!
Here upon this very keene
Once your daddy sat, when he
Was a little tyke like you,
As I read the comics through.
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Slight Accident: Roy E. Zinn, county treasurer figured in a slight accident when a team he was driving toward Hunterstown, was struck in the rear by an automobile. The only damage done by the car was to bend the rear wheel of Mr. Zinn's buggy.

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Harold Spangler is spending a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Spangler, Lincoln highway, east of Gettysburg, before leaving for the state of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walters,

CONGRESS HAS BEGUN WORK ON WAR LABORERS

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Congress tackled officially today the job of pushing hundreds of thousands of men into essential war jobs and thousands of women into military nursing.

As spokesmen for the Army, the Navy, the War Production Board and Selective Service were called before the House Military committee to back "work or fight" legislation aimed at deferred draft-age men, chairman May (D-Ky.) introduced another bill making every registered nurse between the ages of 18 and 45 subject to induction.

Both proposals are in line with President Roosevelt's request for legislation to use manpower more effectively and to fill the ranks of the Army and Navy nursing services.

May Not Be Needed
And both were generally looked upon as clubs which may never have to be wielded.

Should neither prove effective, a bigger one, general national service legislation, can be pulled off the shelf to which Congress has consigned it to date.

The manpower legislation under consideration now would do this, according to its backers:

Minimize labor turnover by effecting the immediate induction into special service units of draft-age men leaving their war jobs without local draft board approval.

Draft Of Nurses
Facilitate the replenishment of labor in acute areas by providing for special units whose services, upon approval of the director of war mobilization after consultation with labor and industry advisers, could be used in industry.

Men inducted under provisions of the bill would be assigned to menial tasks and would not be eligible for normal veterans' benefits.

The nurses draft bill has a provision specifically continuing the voluntary nurse recruitment program. In this nurses go in as second lieutenants. The bill would require every registered nurse between the ages of 18 and 45 to register with local draft boards.

Refuse Mounting In Phila. Streets

Philadelphia, Jan. 10 (AP)—Mounting piles of refuse along city streets have prompted city council to schedule a meeting tomorrow with officials of the Municipal Employees union in an attempt to combat absenteeism which has seriously crippled ash and rubbish collections and thinned ranks of water bureau crews.

Councilmen threatened yesterday to turn names of absentees over to the War Manpower Commission for certification for draft reclassification, if conditions do not improve.

SEEKING 2,000 NURSES IN PA.

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Means of stimulating enlistment of at least 2,000 more nurses for military service by July 1 will be considered here Thursday by the state Procurement and Assignment Committee of the Pennsylvania Nurses association.

The committee meeting will follow an appeal issued by Governor Martin last night for nurses to enroll for service with the armed forces without waiting for enactment of conscription by Congress.

The Third Service Command meanwhile assigned Capt. Mary C. Haggerty to the Philadelphia area and 1st Lt. Mammotte C. Lyons to Pittsburgh to spur enrollment of Army nurses.

"Public opinion is aroused by the fact that our wounded are not receiving adequate nursing care," Martin said in an address prepared for radio broadcast at request of the Army Nurse Corps.

"Until conscription regulation is enacted we urge all eligible nurses between 21 and 45 years of age to get in touch with your local Red Cross recruitment committee, or write to the Superintendent of Nurses, Third Service Command, Baltimore, Md."

SEEK NEW DEAN
Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Appointment of a man of national reputation as dean of the School of Agriculture, Pennsylvania State college to replace retiring Dean S. W. Fletcher next June was urged today by the State Council of Farm Organizations. A resolution also approved a building program at the college including proposed new buildings for the School of Agriculture.

Highland township, announce the birth of a son.

Bernard P. Maguire, of East Middle street is spending a week with friends and relatives in York.

Miss Annie Kime has returned home after an extended trip to Dixon, Chicago, Ill., and New Richmond and Indianapolis, Indiana.

Professor and Mrs. Gulle Lefever have returned after spending some time in Lisburne, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Earl Culp and son of Lancaster, are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Culp, on South Washington street.



ASTRONOMY LECTURE—Eager listeners crowd around Sir Harold Spencer Jones, British astronomer royal, at the conclusion of one of his special lectures for children.

Boy, 13, Charged In Slaying Of Girl, 9

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—A charge of murder was filed against 13-year-old Myron Semunichuk yesterday by Lackawanna County District Attorney James F. Brady, who said that the boy had admitted the slaying of Mae Barrett, 9, whose mutilated body was found in nearby Vandling January 3.

President Judge Will Leach committed the boy to the county prison pending grand jury action after Myron's court-appointed attorneys entered a plea of innocent.

FEDERAL AID TO SCHOOLS NEAR

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—A vast program of Federal aid for State school systems—including \$20,525,074 yearly for Pennsylvania—was advanced in Congress today.

The plan, designed in part to raise substandard teacher salaries called for outright grants to the states totaling \$300,000,000 a year until one year after the war ends, and \$100,000,000 a year thereafter.

Chairman Barden (D-NC) of the House Education committee labelled the bill "a very controversial one" but promised public hearings.

Endorsed by the National Educational Association and nearly all of the 48 State Education Association, the bill was sponsored by House Majority Whip Ramspeck (D-Ga.)

Its purpose, Ramspeck said, "to meet financing emergencies, raise substandard teaching salaries and equalize school opportunities in the states."

State Traffic Toll In '44 'Alarming'

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Governor Martin said today a steady increase in pedestrian fatalities and injuries "has created an alarming situation" and called on safety agencies and the public to join a movement to stem the trend.

"Traffic casualties in Pennsylvania for the year 1944 were 1,244 killed and 30,442 injured," he declared in a statement. "The dead included 672 pedestrians, more than 50 per cent of total fatalities. There were 7,057 pedestrians injured."

Martin disclosed 13 eastern states have united in a pedestrian protection program to be launched January 15 and said "Pennsylvania must and shall do her part. We cannot afford the loss of a single hand at the wheel of production."

Penna. Democrats Gain In Committees

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Republican administration forces have yielded to a demand by the Democratic minority for more proportionate representation on state House of Representatives committees.

In keeping with the closest party division in memory, the House Committee on committees decided yesterday to recommend 3-2 distribution of assignments when the House reconvenes next Monday. The GOP majority heretofore has held a 3-1 margin.

"We are not satisfied," said Democratic Floor Leader Hiram G. Andrews who demanded a nearly 50-50 split, "but there is no cause for harsh words. They have enough votes to make the committee decision stick."

House division is 109 Republicans, four more than a majority, to 99 Democrats.

The moth of the silkworm has lost the ability to fly and is completely dependent upon man for survival.

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PHONE 238 THE BLACK AND GREEN CARS

WOMAN, "UNCLE" DIE IN SHOOTING

Camden, N. J., Jan. 10 (AP)—Mrs. Margaret Deal, 25-year-old mother of three children, was fatally shot last night, police said, by James Sherlock, 48, who then turned his gun on himself. Mrs. Deal died on the way to a hospital and Sherlock died three hours later.

Police said Elmer Deal, 29, husband of the dead woman, told this story:

Mrs. Deal introduced Sherlock as her uncle nearly two years ago and he lived at the Deal home until last September, when Deal learning that they were not related, ordered Sherlock from the house. Mrs. Deal left too, remaining away until shortly before Christmas when she returned and asked to be forgiven.

Bruce Deal, a brother of Elmer, said that he was in the kitchen of his brothers home last night when a knock called Mrs. Deal to the door. He said he heard Sherlock tell her: "I want to talk to you alone." There was a mumbled conversation, he said, and then two shots rang out.

When he ran into the front part of the house, Bruce continued, he saw Mrs. Deal lying near the foot of the stairs, her two oldest children, Arline, 18 months, and Marie, four years, sobbing over her in the dining room was Sherlock.

Need 30,000 War Workers In Penna.

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—The War Manpower Commission is seeking nearly 30,000 workers urgently needed in Pennsylvania's war-supporting industries.

Floran J. Boland, state WMC director, said yesterday 10,249 miners are wanted for the Scranton anthracite area, and 19,407 men and women were needed to keep 143 war plants in full production.

He said plants making shells and small arms ammunition, castings and component parts for tanks, trucks, rockets, bombs, ships, heavy duty tires and heavy artillery need 11,313 workers in the Philadelphia area; 2,156 in the Lancaster-Harrisburg-York district; 1,747 in Greensburg; 1,892 in Pittsburgh; 977 in Allentown; 658 in Altoona; 323 in Reading; 321 in Scranton and 99 in Erie.

NURSES VOLUNTEER

Pittsburgh, Jan. 10 (AP)—In two days since President Roosevelt recommended drafting nurses for the Army and Navy, 47 nurses applied at the Red Cross recruitment station here compared with an average of one or two per day during 1944.

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Roosevelt Says 'Hands Not Tied'

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With senatorial critics complaining of this part of his handling of foreign affairs, the President told his legislative lieutenants nothing promised at Quebec or Teheran will tie his hand in attempts to reach an agreement on such questions as Poland's future borders.

The President, reported determined to carry a closed hand into big three conference. He would not expand now, it was said, on the explosion of foreign policy laid down in his state of the union message last week.

In that he admitted concern about the Greek and Polish situations. He said we had obligations to exiled governments, to underground leaders and to "our major Allies who came much nearer the shadows than we did."

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ASK ARMY FOR PIPELINE FOR WATER SUPPLY

Columbia, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—An Army built emergency pipeline is the latest measure suggested as a solution to the critical water shortage here caused by a Susquehanna river ice jam which flooded the Columbia water company pumping station.

Edward C. Shannon, president of the company, and Theodore H. Kain, general manager, sent a message to Governor Martin last midnight asking him to petition the Army's Third Service Command to build the pipeline between Columbia and York.

Earlier suggestions that the ice jam be bombed by airplanes or dynamited have been rejected, company officials said. The bombing is considered too dangerous, due to the proximity of the Safe Harbor dam, the Columbia bridge and Pennsylvania railroad tracks.

Dynamiting was discarded when a blasting expert said that a ton of explosives and 100 men to place it would be needed to make an impression on the jam, which continues to grow worse with below-freezing temperatures.

In the meantime, Kain strongly urged that bars, soda fountains and barber shops be closed in order to conserve water. Thirty-two industries have already shut down, and the borough's 12,000 residents have been requested to refrain from using water for any purpose other than drinking or cooking.

Kain estimated this morning that Columbia has about a two-day supply of water in its reservoir.

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Lord Desborough, 89, former president of the Amateur Athletic association and internationally known sportsman, died yesterday at his home in Panshanger park Hertfordshire.

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Announcement — Grand Opening Soda Fountain. Stephens Medicine Store, C. Ross Shuman, Mgr. Saturday, January 10, 1920. We have now installed a completely modern soda fountain, one in keeping with the quality, refinement and character of our store.

We will have carnations for our lady visitors. An orchestra will furnish music during the afternoon.

Austria Pleads for Help Here: Washington, January 10—An appeal to the American people to extend aid to 7,000,000 Austrians threatened with anarchy and death by starvation during the winter has been forwarded to Washington by Baron Elchoff, who is head of the Austrian peace delegation.

Slight Accident: Roy E. Zinn, county treasurer figured in a slight accident when a team he was driving toward Huntertown, was struck in the rear by an automobile. The only damage done by the car was to bend the rear wheel of Mr. Zinn's buggy.

Personal: Mrs. H. B. Bender and Miss Louise Bender, of Baltimore street, and Mrs. Allen B. Plank, of Stratton street, are spending several days in Philadelphia.

CONGRESS HAS BEGUN WORK ON WAR LABORERS

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—Congress tackled officially today the job of pushing hundreds of thousands of men into essential war jobs and thousands of women into military nursing.

As spokesmen for the Army, the Navy, the War Production Board and Selective Service were called before the House Military committee to back "work or fight" legislation aimed at deferred draft-age men, chairman May (D-Ky.) introduced another bill making every registered nurse between the ages of 18 and 45 subject to induction.

Both proposals are in line with President Roosevelt's request for legislation to use manpower more effectively and to fill the ranks of the Army and Navy nursing services.

May Not Be Needed
And both were generally looked upon as clubs which may never have to be wielded.
Should neither prove effective, a bigger one, general national service legislation, can be pulled off the shelf to which Congress has consigned it to date.

The manpower legislation under consideration now would do this, according to its backers:

Minimize labor turnover by effecting the immediate induction into special service units of draft-age men leaving their war jobs without local draft board approval.

Draft Of Nurses
Facilitate the replenishment of labor in acute areas by providing for special units whose services, upon approval of the director of war mobilization after consultation with labor and industry advisers, could be used in industry.

Men inducted under provisions of the bill would be assigned to menial tasks and would not be eligible for normal veterans' benefits.

The nurses draft bill has a provision specifically continuing the voluntary nurse recruitment program. In this nurses go in as second lieutenants. The bill would require every registered nurse between the ages of 18 and 45 to register with local draft boards.

Refuse Mounting In Phila. Streets

Philadelphia, Jan. 10 (AP)—Mounting piles of refuse along city streets have prompted city council to schedule a meeting tomorrow with officials of the Municipal Employees union in an attempt to combat absenteeism which has seriously crippled ash and rubbish collections and thinned ranks of water bureau crews.

Councilmen threatened yesterday to turn names of absentees over to the War Manpower Commission for certification for draft reclassification, if conditions do not improve.

SEEKING 2,000 NURSES IN PA.

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Means of stimulating enlistment of at least 2,000 more nurses for military service by July 1 will be considered here Thursday by the state Procurement and Assignment Committee of the Pennsylvania Nurses association.

The committee meeting will follow an appeal issued by Governor Martin last night for nurses to enroll for service with the armed forces without waiting for enactment of conscription by Congress.

The Third Service Command meanwhile assigned Capt. Mary C. Haggerty to the Philadelphia area and 1st Lt. Mannette C. Lyons to Pittsburgh to spur enrollment of Army nurses.

"Public opinion is aroused by the fact that our wounded are not receiving adequate nursing care," Martin said in an address prepared for radio broadcast at request of the Army Nurse Corps.

"Until conscription regulation is enacted we urge all eligible nurses between 21 and 45 years of age to get in touch with your local Red Cross recruitment committee, or write to the Superintendent of Nurses, Third Service Command, Baltimore, Md."

Highland township, announce the birth of a son.

Bernard P. Maguire, of East Middle street is spending a week with friends and relatives in York.

Miss Annie Kime has returned home after an extended trip to Dixon, Chicago, Ill., and New Richmond and Indianapolis, Indiana.

Professor and Mrs. Guile Lefever have returned after spending some time in Lisburne, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Earl Culp and son of Lancaster, are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Culp, on South Washington street.



ASTRONOMY LECTURE—Eager listeners crowd around Sir Harold Spencer Jones, British astronomer royal, at the conclusion of one of his special lectures for children.

Boy, 13, Charged In Slaying Of Girl, 9

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—A charge of murder was filed against 13-year-old Myron Semunichuk yesterday by Lackawanna County District Attorney James F. Brady, who said that the boy had admitted the slaying of Mae Barrett, 9, whose mutilated body was found in nearby Vandling January 3.

President Judge Will Leach committed the boy to the county prison pending grand jury action after Myron's court-appointed attorneys entered a plea of innocent.

FEDERAL AID TO SCHOOLS NEAR

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP)—A vast program of Federal aid for State school systems—including \$20,525,074 yearly for Pennsylvania—was advanced in Congress today.

The plan, designed in part to raise substandard teacher salaries, called for outright grants to the states totaling \$300,000,000 a year until one year after the war ends, and \$100,000,000 a year thereafter.

Chairman Barden (D-NC) of the House Education committee labelled the bill "a very controversial one" but promised public hearings.

Endorsed by the National Educational Association and nearly all of the 48 State Education Association, the bill was sponsored by House Majority Whip Ramspeck (D-Ga.).

Its purpose, Ramspeck said, "is to meet financing emergencies, raise substandard teaching salaries and equalize school opportunities in the states."

State Traffic Toll In '44 'Alarming'

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Governor Martin said today a steady increase in pedestrian fatalities and injuries "has created an alarming situation" and called on safety agencies and the public to join a movement to stem the trend.

"Traffic casualties in Pennsylvania for the year 1944 were 1,244 killed and 30,442 injured," he declared in a statement. "The dead included 672 pedestrians, more than 50 per cent of total fatalities. There were 7,057 pedestrians injured."

Martin disclosed 13 eastern states have united in a pedestrian protection program to be launched January 15 and said "Pennsylvania must and shall do her part. We cannot afford the loss of a single hand at the wheel of production."

Penna. Democrats Gain In Committees

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Republican administration forces have yielded to a demand by the Democratic minority for more proportionate representation on state House of Representatives committees.

In keeping with the closest party division in memory, the House Committee on committees decided yesterday to recommend 3-2 distribution of assignments when the House reconvenes next Monday. The GOP majority heretofore has held a 3-1 margin.

"We are not satisfied," said Democratic Floor Leader Hiram G. Andrews who demanded a nearly 50-50 split, "but there is no cause for harsh words. They have enough votes to make the committee decision stick."

House division is 109 Republicans, four more than a majority, to 99 Democrats.

Weikert's Taxi

PHONE 238 THE BLACK AND GREEN CARS

WOMAN, "UNCLE" DIE IN SHOOTING

Camden, N. J., Jan. 10 (AP)—Mrs. Margaret Deal, 25-year-old mother of three children, was fatally shot last night, police said, by James Sherlock, 48, who then turned his gun on himself. Mrs. Deal died on the way to a hospital and Sherlock died three hours later.

Police said Elmer Deal, 29, husband of the dead woman, told this story: Mrs. Deal introduced Sherlock as her uncle nearly two years ago and he lived at the Deal home until last September, when Deal learning that they were not related, ordered Sherlock from the house. Mrs. Deal left too, remaining away until shortly before Christmas when she returned and asked to be forgiven.

Bruce Deal, a brother of Elmer, said that he was in the kitchen of his brother's home last night when a knock called Mrs. Deal to the door. He said he heard Sherlock tell her: "I want to talk to you alone." There was a mumbled conversation, he said, and then two shots rang out.

When he ran into the front part of the house, Bruce continued, he saw Mrs. Deal lying near the foot of the stairs, her two oldest children, Arline, 18 months, and Marie, four years, sobbing over her. In the dining room was Sherlock.

Need 30,000 War Workers In Penna.

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—The War Manpower Commission is seeking nearly 30,000 workers urgently needed in Pennsylvania's war-supporting industries.

Florian J. Boland, state WMC director, said yesterday 10,249 miners are wanted for the Scranton anthracite area, and 19,407 men and women were needed to keep 143 war plants in full production.

He said plants making shells and small arms ammunition, castings and component parts for tanks, trucks, rockets, bombs, ships, heavy duty tires and heavy artillery need 11,313 workers in the Philadelphia-Harrisburg-York district; 1,747 in Greensburg; 1,892 in Pittsburgh; 977 in Allentown; 658 in Allentown; 323 in Reading; 321 in Scranton and 99 in Erie.

NURSES VOLUNTEER

Pittsburgh, Jan. 10 (AP)—In two days since President Roosevelt recommended drafting nurses for the Army and Navy, 47 nurses applied at the Red Cross recruitment station here compared with an average of one or two per day during 1944.

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ASK ARMY FOR PIPELINE FOR WATER SUPPLY

Columbia, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—An Army built emergency pipeline is the latest measure suggested as a solution to the critical water shortage here caused by a Susquehanna river ice jam which flooded the Columbia water company pumping station.

Edward C. Shannon, president of the company, and Theodore H. Kain, general manager, sent a message to Governor Martin last night asking him to petition the Army's Third Service Command to build the pipeline between Columbia and York.

Earlier suggestions that the ice jam be bombed by airplanes or dynamited have been rejected, company officials said. The bombing is considered too dangerous, due to the proximity of the Safe Harbor dam, the Columbia bridge and Pennsylvania railroad tracks.

Dynamiting was discarded when a blasting expert said that a ton of explosives and 100 men to place it would be needed to make an impression on the jam, which continues to grow worse with below-freezing temperatures.

In the meantime, Kain strongly urged that bars, soda fountains and barber shops be closed in order to conserve water. Thirty-two industries have already shut down, and the borough's 12,000 residents have been requested to refrain from using water for any purpose other than drinking or cooking.

Kain estimated this morning that Columbia has about a two-day supply of water in its reservoir.

London, Jan. 10 (AP)—Lord Desborough, 89, former president of the Amateur Athletic association and internationally known sportsman, died yesterday at his home in Panshanger park Hertfordshire.

THE ROAD TO BERLIN

(By The Associated Press)

1—Western front: 301 miles (from near Duren).
2—Russian front: 304 miles (from north of Warsaw).
3—Hungarian front: 364 miles (from Hron river).
4—Italian front: 544 miles (from Reno river).

FOUR YEARS AGO TODAY

(By The Associated Press)

Jan. 10, 1941 — British cruiser Southampton is sunk in Mediterranean by German and Italian planes, carrier Illustrious and battleship Malaya damaged.



WHY QUINTUPLETS use this great rub for SORE THROAT COUGHS & COLDS

Wonderful for Grown-Ups, Too!
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PUBLIC SALE

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Saturday, January 20, 1945, at 2:00

House with seven rooms and bath; furnace, electricity and water. Large lot with two story combined garage and barn. Terms and conditions will be made known on day of sale by

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PUBLIC SALE
SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1945
1:00 P. M.
The undersigned will offer at public sale on the above date at the residence known as the Chestnut Ridge Fruit Farm, 2 miles north of Biglerville and Heidelsburg road.
5 Head of Cattle
1 Holstein cow carrying 3rd calf, due in February.
1 fat steer weighing 1000 lbs.
3 young steers 400 to 550 lbs.
Good wheelbarrow, kerosene brooder stove 500 cap, peep feeders, poultry wire, single cultivator, double cultivator can be used with tractor, chicken coops, roll of new hog wire 10 rods, garden plow, rope and tackle, 2 bee boxes.
Household Goods
Cinderella cook stove, warming closet, water tank, good baker; good Allen parlor heater, heats four to five rooms; buffet, sink; kitchen cabinet; china closet; 9x12 rug; old bureau; good cedar lined wardrobe; 2 wash stands; old chest; child's crib; high chair; wooden tub; wood box; lot of 1- and 2-quart jars; rocks; butcher tools, stirrers, ladles; 30-gal. copper kettle; 2 iron kettles; double kettle furnace, New Oxford make; 3-burner oil stove; single barrel shot gun; 22 rifle; other items too numerous to mention.
Terms cash.
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ORDER NOW FARM MASTER chicks for future delivery. Don't wait and be disappointed. All chicks Pullover tested and from United States Approved Hatcheries. Sears Farm Store, Sears Roebuck and Company, Hanover, Pa. Phone 3705 or J. H. Smith, McKnightstown. Phone Gettysburg 934-R-11.

FOR SALE: TURKEY POULTS—Broad breasted Bronze—Narragansetts—White Holland and Standard Bronze. Husky, vigorous poults. Limited quantity available. Order early. Sears Farm Store, Sears Roebuck and Company, Hanover, Pa. Phone 3705 or J. H. Smith, McKnightstown. Phone Gettysburg 934-R-11.

YES, WE HAVE SPRINGFILLED studio couches and sofa beds, also a beautiful variety of overstuffed springfilled chairs as well as springfilled living room suites as low as \$109.00. York Supply Company, 43 W. Market St., York, Pa.

FOR SALE: CREAM ENAMEL kitchen range, nine piece walnut dining room suite. Apply 290 West Middle street.

FOR SALE: FRONT AND HIND quarters of steers. Grayson Showers, Biglerville R. 1. Phone 16-R-31.

ARMY-WOOL MACKINAWs, \$2.95. Becker's Drycleaners.

FOR SALE: BRIGHT, CLEAN oats straw, \$1.00 hundred. H. L. Jenkins, York Springs R. 1. Phone 79-R-2.

FOR SALE: FRONT QUARTER OF beef, Earl McMaster, Bonneauville.

FOR SALE: CHILD'S SLED. Inquire 66 East Broadway.

FOR SALE: MEN'S SIZE 10 1/2, women's size 6. Shoe skates. Also sled. William Price, Phone 627-W.

FOR SALE: MAROON ZIPPER lined coat; light blue coat suit; Navy reversible coat, all size 14; girls' brown pumps, size 7. 414 York street.

FOR SALE: COMPLETE BEAUTY equipment sufficient to furnish one booth, good condition. Phone Biglerville 15.

FOR SALE: OAK WOOD SAWED stove length, C. D. Ketterman. Phone 973-R-21.

FOR SALE: PURE-BRED YORK-shire hogs, breeding stock, Edwin A. Rice, Arendtsville, Pa. Phone Biglerville 1-R-21.

FOR SALE: NO. 45 BUCKEYE incubator with automatic humidifier. James Orner, Cashtown. Phone 942-R-5.

USED FURNITURE AND STOVES. See us if you need used or re-built furniture, rugs or stoves. Prices reasonable. Trade-In Furniture Exchange, 55 W. Clark Ave., Rear—York Supply Co., York, Pa.

NEW AND USED STOVES, FOR wood, coal and oil; new and used furniture of all kinds. Next auction night, Friday, Jan. 12, M. L. Ditzler Auction Room, Biglerville.

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FOR SALE: 1931 T-LICENSE Ford truck, good condition, reasonable price. Apply 30 North Washington street.

REAL ESTATE

AUSHERMAN BROS. REALTORS M. O. Rice, Repr. Room 2, Kadel Bldg., Res. 785, Baltimore Street. Office 161-Y. Residence 182-X.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: MAN FOR FARM AND orchard work, house with electric furnished. E. B. Romig, 1 1/2 miles south of Arendtsville.

WANTED: SERVICE STATION helper, young boy out of school and not subject to draft call. Easy work. Apply by letter, 266 Times Office.

WMC RULING—MALE HELP MAY be hired solely upon USES referral.

WANTED: PART TIME OFFICE girl for compiling records. Write Box 265, Times Office.

WANTED: MIDDLE AGED WOMEN for floor work. Apply Annie M. Warner hospital, any morning.

WMC RULING—FEMALE HELP in essential activities may transfer to other essential activities only and must have statement of availability.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: SHORT ORDER COOK. Apply Plaza Restaurant.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: USED CARS, ANY make, any model, will pay highest cash dollar. Get my price before you sell. 20 used cars for sale. Glenn L. Bream, 106 Buford avenue.

WANTED: ADULT DOGS, AND large type puppies. Write Post-office Box 183, Littlestown, Pa.

MUSKRATS WANTED: SEE Mares Sherman, Gettysburg.

WANTED: TO BUY PROPERTY in or near Gettysburg. Write Mrs. Grace Raffensperger, 400 South Washington street.

WANTED: ANTIQUE CLOCKS. Furniture, china, glass, etc. I am not a dealer. Give description and careful location directions. M. E. Shanabarger, 1532 2nd Ave., York, Pa.

WANTED TO BUY: STRONG card table. State price. Write Box 270, Times Office.

WANTED: RAW FURS AND hides. Morris Giffin. Phone 28, Gettysburg.

WANTED: YOUNG CHICKENS, heavy fowl, turkeys and other poultry; Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each week. Will call for large lots. R. J. Brendle, 531 South Franklin street, Hanover, Phone 8279.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED: TO RENT FIVE OR SIX room house close Biglerville or Gettysburg. Possession February 1st. Luther Harman, Mummaburg.

WANTED: TO RENT SMALL PUNISHED apartment for two adults. Call 538-Y.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: FOUR ROOMS SUITABLE for soldier's wife. Electric and other privileges. Cheap rent. William F. Fleming, R. 4, Gettysburg.

FOR RENT: BRICK GARAGE, 38 West Middle street, Murray Sheads.

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LOST: GOLD IDENTIFICATION bracelet (name Ann) in Gettysburg. Finder please return to Times Office.

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CLEARANCE SALE: MEN'S DRESS shirts, 35c; Men's Underwear, 35c; Oilcloth by the yard. Kime's Self-Service, Aspers, Pa.

WALL PAPER AND PAPERHANGING. Harry Gilbert.

BINGO: KARAS STORE, THURSDAY and Saturday nights. Chickens, grocery bags and fresh fruit.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Norman Bennett, who passed away one year ago, January 9, 1944.

O Lord, keep green the grave that lies Beneath the wide and starry skies, Keep sweet the sleep and give him rest.

And while he lies in peaceful sleep His Memory we shall always keep.

His Wife and Daughter Before our eyes he faded Growing weaker every day, Doing all we could to save him Until God took him away.

His Sister, Mrs. James Sell Sleep on dear brother, take your rest.

God called you home He thought it best.

He saw your life to Him was great, So He opened wide the Golden Gate.

His Sister, Mrs. Harvey Strausbaugh

LEGAL NOTICE

GRANT OF LETTERS

In re: Estate of Maxie A. Stouck, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Maxie A. Stouck, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against it to present the same without delay to

WARREN W. STOUCK, Administrator, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

Or to his attorney, Bulleit & Bulleit, Attorneys at Law, First National Bank Bldg., Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice hereby is given that the undersigned intends to file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the office of the Prothonotary of Adams County, his certificate to carry on and conduct business in this Commonwealth under the assumed or fictitious name of "East End Garage" with its principal place of business in the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons owning or interested in said business and their addresses are: Clair D. Raffensperger, East York street, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; CLAIR D. RAFFENSBERGER.

LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of John B. Klunk, deceased, late of Conowingo Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

FELIX J. KLUNK, Executor of the Will of John B. Klunk, deceased. Whole address is: Hanover R. D. # 4, Penna.

Or to his attorney, J. Francis Yale, Jr., Esq., Gettysburg, Penna.

SMITH, BUCHANAN & INGERSOLL, Attorneys at Law, No. 100 Union Deposit Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that Thrift Plan of Gettysburg, a Pennsylvania Business Corporation, which has been doing business and has registered its office in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at No. 126 Baltimore street, Gettysburg, Adams County of Adams, that a Certificate of Election to voluntarily dissolve said corporation in accordance with the provisions of the Business Corporation Law, an Act of Assembly, approved May 5, 1933, has been filed with the Secretary of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly, approved May 5, 1933, for the purpose of electing twelve directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business that may properly come before the meeting.

H. W. KNOUSE, Secretary.

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EDYTHE L. BELLER, Administratrix. Aspers, Pa. R. D. 1.

LEGAL NOTICE

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GEORGE SLUSSER, New Oxford R. D. # 2, Pa.

MARTERINUS (TURNER) SLUSSER, Hanover R. D. # 4, Pa. Executors of the Will of Louise M. Shuser, deceased.

Or to their attorney, J. Francis Yale, Jr., Esq., Gettysburg, Penna.

LEGAL NOTICE

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JENNINGS B. COLLINS, J. WARFIELD COLLINS AND CHARLES C. COLLINS, Executors of the last Will of Ida Martha Virginia Eckenrode Collins, deceased.

Whole address is: Jennings B. Collins, 75 East Broadway, Gettysburg, Penna.; J. Warfield Collins, 1111 South Seventeenth St., Harrisburg, Penna.; Charles C. Collins, 5 West King St., Littlestown, Penna.

Or their attorneys, Keith, Bigham & Markley, First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

COUNTY BANKS

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Pauline Hertz Remant is the clerk. Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, New Oxford.

Directors of the Farmers' and Merchants' bank at New Oxford were re-elected as follows: Charles E. Alwine, C. L. Eicholtz, H. B. Flaherty, J. C. Geiselman, William D. Himes, John C. Myers and William H. Snyder. At the organization meeting Mr. Myers was named president; Mr. Eicholtz, vice president; Mr. Alwine, secretary, and Mr. Flaherty, cashier. Mrs. G. E. Fink and Robert Brothers are the assistant cashiers.

First National Bank of Fairfield. J. E. Zimmerman was re-elected president of the First National bank, Fairfield, at the annual reorganization meeting of the board of directors Tuesday afternoon. R. C. Neely was re-named vice president and Robert Myers, the cashier. Mrs. John Beard is assistant cashier and Keith, Bigham and Markley were named as attorneys.

Littlestown State Bank. The stockholders' meeting and organization of the Littlestown State bank was held December 19 of this directors being chosen: L. D. Snyder, William V. Sneringer, Charles M. Weikert, I. Irvin Dutterer, Edgar W. Berwager, William S. Menges, Harrison F. Snyder, C. P. Myers and Ralph D. Bowman. Mr. Snyder was elected president, Mr. Sneringer, vice president, and Wilbur A. Bankert, treasurer. Evelyn C. Altoft is the secretary and assistant treasurer and Warren C. Hamer is assistant treasurer.

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EDYTHE L. BELLER, Administratrix. Aspers, Pa. R. D. 1.

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JENNINGS B. COLLINS, J. WARFIELD COLLINS AND CHARLES C. COLLINS, Executors of the last Will of Ida Martha Virginia Eckenrode Collins, deceased.

Whole address is: Jennings B. Collins, 75 East Broadway, Gettysburg, Penna.; J. Warfield Collins, 1111 South Seventeenth St., Harrisburg, Penna.; Charles C. Collins, 5 West King St., Littlestown, Penna.

Or their attorneys, Keith, Bigham & Markley, First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

COUNTY BANKS

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Pauline Hertz Remant is the clerk. Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, New Oxford.

Directors of the Farmers' and Merchants' bank at New Oxford were re-elected as follows: Charles E. Alwine, C. L. Eicholtz, H. B. Flaherty, J. C. Geiselman, William D. Himes, John C. Myers and William H. Snyder. At the organization meeting Mr. Myers was named president; Mr. Eicholtz, vice president; Mr. Alwine, secretary, and Mr. Flaherty, cashier. Mrs. G. E. Fink and Robert Brothers are the assistant cashiers.

First National Bank of Fairfield. J. E. Zimmerman was re-elected president of the First National bank, Fairfield, at the annual reorganization meeting of the board of directors Tuesday afternoon. R. C. Neely was re-named vice president and Robert Myers, the cashier. Mrs. John Beard is assistant cashier and Keith, Bigham and Markley were named as attorneys.

Littlestown State Bank. The stockholders' meeting and organization of the Littlestown State bank was held December 19 of this directors being chosen: L. D. Snyder, William V. Sneringer, Charles M. Weikert, I. Irvin Dutterer, Edgar W. Berwager, William S. Menges, Harrison F. Snyder, C. P. Myers and Ralph D. Bowman. Mr. Snyder was elected president, Mr. Sneringer, vice president, and Wilbur A. Bankert, treasurer. Evelyn C. Altoft is the secretary and assistant treasurer and Warren C. Hamer is assistant treasurer.

LEGAL NOTICE

In re: Estate of Maxie A. Stouck, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Maxie A. Stouck, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against it to present the same without delay to

WARREN W. STOUCK, Administrator, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

Or to his attorney, Bulleit & Bulleit, Attorneys at Law, First National Bank Bldg., Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice hereby is given that the undersigned intends to file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the office of the Prothonotary of Adams County, his certificate to carry on and conduct business in this Commonwealth under the assumed or fictitious name of "East End Garage" with its principal place of business in the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons owning or interested in said business and their addresses are: Clair D. Raffensperger, East York street, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; CLAIR D. RAFFENSBERGER.

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FELIX J. KLUNK, Executor of the Will of John B. Klunk, deceased. Whole address is: Hanover R. D. # 4, Penna.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

New York, Jan. 10 (AP)—The post-war radio set will not be any "miracle" receiver, but it will do a much better job than models previously made, mainly because of tubes improved under stress of war. This industry opinion was expressed today through its spokesman, the Radio Manufacturers association.

The association, in decrying the possibilities of miracles, put it this way: "Unseen power will be built into post-war radios, making them better but not miracle receivers, and more flexible and compact."

WEDNESDAY

6:00-WEAP-454M
4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Stella Dallas
4:30-Laura Zane
4:45-Widder Brown
5:00-Girl Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Serenade
6:30-Sports
6:45-L. L. Thomas
7:00-Perry Como
7:15-Landmark
7:30-Ruth Green
7:45-Kaltenborn
8:00-News
8:15-Randall Bruce
8:30-Eddie Cantor
8:45-Mr. D. A.
9:00-Ray Erss
11:00-News
11:30-Unannounced

7:00-WOR-422M

4:30-News
4:45-Vocalist
4:55-Post Forum
5:00-Uncle Don
5:15-Chick Carter
5:30-Superman
5:45-Tom Mix
6:00-S. Moseley
6:15-Ramona
6:30-News
6:45-Sports
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Top This
7:45-C. Brown
8:00-Vocalist
8:15-Quiz
8:30-News
8:45-Clara
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10:00-News
10:15-Symphonette
10:30-News
10:45-News
11:00-News
11:15-News
11:30-Orchestra

7:00-WJZ-485M

4:30-News
4:45-For Me
4:55-Hop Harrigan
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Capt. M. Night
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9:15-Drama
9:30-Quiz
9:45-News
10:00-Drama
10:15-Quiz
10:30-Quiz
10:45-News
11:00-News
11:15-Songs
11:30-Brown Orch.

8:00-WABC-675M

4:30-Service Time
4:45-Off Record
4:55-Off Record
5:00-Sing Along
5:15-Vocalist
5:30-News
5:45-Whose War?
6:00-News
6:15-Murray orch.
6:30-Encore
6:45-World Today
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7:15-Music
7:30-Easy Aces
8:00-Jack Carson
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George Mikan Tops Courtmen; 209 Pts.

New York, Jan. 10 (AP)—Swishing the nets for 80 field goals and 49 charity throws, big George Mikan of DePaul university, Chicago, tops the national college basketball high scoring race with 209 points, an Associated Press tabulation showed today.

The 6-foot DePaul giant, who has sparked DePaul to cage prominence, holds a 32-point lead over the 177 compiled by Bill Henry of Rice in the southwest conference. Ernie Calverley of the never-stop-breaking Rhode Island Staters is third with 176 points although he has played only seven games compared to nine for Henry and 10 for Mikan.

Henry has rimmed 68 field goals and 41 fouls to Calverley's 70 double-deckers and 36 one-pointers. Calverley is defending title-holder having scored 534 points in 20 games a year ago.

MAROONS HAND CARLISLE HIGH 41-21 LACING

Gettysburg high school's cagers served notice Tuesday evening they must be considered a strong contender for the Southern Pennsylvania Interscholastic basketball championship by walloping Carlisle high here 41-21.

Coach "Hen" Bream's lads were a vast improvement over their previous showings against York high. The team passed, shot and controlled the ball in great style while the starting aggregation was in action. Defensively the Maroons were near perfect, the visitors being able to score only when reserves started to make their appearance. Coach Bream used his entire varsity squad.

Long shots by Fidler and Eisenhart shortly after the opening whistle sounded sent the Maroons out in front and they were never in danger thereafter. The air-tight Gettysburg defense kept Coach Hendrickson's boys without a tally in the first period while the locals built up a 12-0 margin.

Visitors Score

Gettysburg ran its lead to 18-0 in the second period before McCoy slipped away and looped a short toss and foul after more than three minutes had elapsed. At half time the Bream-men led 23-7.

Coach Bream re-inserted his varsity into the lineup in the third period and the Maroon lead rocketed to 38-10 at the end of the round. Carlisle picked up more than half of its tallies in the final period against reserves.

Ogden and Eisenhart played particularly good ball beneath the backboards while Gorman, Fidler and Heintzelman contributed some neat passing and floor work throughout.

Jayvees Win

Coach Fred Haehnlen's Jayvees also crashed into the victory column for the first time by smothering the Carlisle Jayvees 47-24. Carlisle took a 7-2 lead in the first minutes of the opening quarter but the locals quickly rallied and led 25-12 at half time.

Chambersburg will be met here Friday in the opening league tilt.

Gettysburg

G.	F.	Pts.	
Gorman, f.	4	2-3	10
Heintzelman, f.	0	0-0	0
Saylor, f.	0	1-2	1
Sachs, f.	0	0-0	0
Ogden, g.	7	0-1	14
Rasmussen, c.	0	0-0	0
Fidler, g.	4	1-4	9
Eisenhart, g.	2	0-0	4
Haehnlen, g.	0	0-0	0
Moyer, g.	0	0-0	0
Thrush, g.	0	0-0	0
Total	17	7-14	41

Carlisle

G.	F.	Pts.	
McCoy, f.	2	3-4	7
Blosser, f.	0	1-3	1
Burkholder, f.	1	0-0	2
Mullen, f.	0	0-0	0
Fickel, c.	0	1-3	1
Garber, c.	0	3-4	3
Miller, g.	2	2-3	6
Green, g.	0	0-0	0
Snyder, g.	0	0-0	0
Lyter, g.	0	1-3	1
Total	5	11-17	21

Score by periods:

Gettysburg 12 11 15 3-41
Carlisle 0 7 3 11-21

Referees: Morgan and Brubaker.

Scrub Game

Gettysburg

G.	F.	Pts.	
R. Hess, f.	2	0-1	4
Hand, f.	2	1-1	5
Hershey, f.	0	0-0	0
McLaughlin, f.	2	1-1	5
Hockey, f.	1	0-0	2
Redding, f.	2	0-0	4
J. Hess, c.	2	1-2	6
Cole, c.	1	0-0	2
F. Rodgers, g.	3	1-1	7
Mountain, g.	1	1-1	3
Shaffer, g.	1	0-0	2
Taylor, g.	1	1-1	3
Keeney, g.	1	0-0	2
Fair, g.	0	0-0	0
Oranwell, g.	0	0-0	0
Total	21	5-8	47

Carlisle

G.	F.	Pts.	
Vaughan, f.	0	0-0	0
Kiehl, f.	6	1-2	13
Lowry, f.	0	1-3	1
Heger, f.	0	1-2	1
Hare, c.	1	1-3	3
Nickelson, g.	1	3-5	5
Royer, g.	0	0-0	0
Madison, g.	0	1-1	1
Shetter, g.	0	0-0	0
Total	8	8-16	24

Score by periods:

Gettysburg 8 17 9 13-47
Carlisle 0 4 8 4-24

Referees: Buehler and Shriver.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Brooklyn—Maxie Berger 148, Montreal, outpointed Solomon Stewart, 143, Providence, 8, Bobby Brown, 162, Philadelphia, and Coolidge Miller, 166, Brooklyn, drew, 8.

White Plains, N. Y.—Vic Pignataro, 140, New York, outpointed Benny Cartagena, 139, New York, 8, Maurice Lavigne, 148, Montreal, outpointed Jackie Connors, 146, Newark, 6.

Jersey City—Dom Amoroso, 135, Jersey City, outpointed Joey Peralla, 136, Tamaqua, Pa., 10.

Akron, O.—Ira Hughes, 171, Pittsburgh, outpointed Tommy Woodward, 178, Columbus, 10.

Beauville, diamonds and gold are mined in British Guiana.

Bullets To Meet Medicos Tonight

Gettysburg college will inaugurate its 1945 cage season this evening by meeting the Carlisle Barracks quintet on the college floor. The game will start promptly at 8 o'clock. No preliminary game will be played.

The Medicos added another victory to their impressive list Monday evening by defeating the White Hill school dribblers 48-30.

Doremus and Morgan will be the officials for tonight's tilt.

EAST BERLIN WINS 2 TILTS

East Berlin high school captured two of three basketball games played Tuesday evening with Dover high at East Berlin.

In the varsity boys' game the East Berlin boys staved off a big last-period rally by Dover to edge out a 34-33 victory.

The East Berlin girls had little trouble in winning their game 38-25.

Dover downed the East Berlin boys reserves 17-16 in the third game of the evening.

The box scores:

East Berlin

G.	F.	Pts.	
Frederick, f.	1	0-2	2
Himes, f.	1	0-2	2
Gordon, f.	0	0-0	0
Wolf, c.	4	0-8	8
Chromister, g.	3	1-7	7
Billet, g.	7	1-15	15
Total	16	2-34	34

Dover

G.	F.	Pts.	
Little, f.	5	2-12	12
Wintemeyer, f.	0	0-0	0
Hoffman, f.	2	1-5	5
Davis, f.	0	0-0	0
Harbaugh, c.	0	1-1	1
Leckrone, c.	3	0-6	6
Meisenhelter, g.	1	0-2	2
Small, g.	0	0-0	0
Strausbaugh, g.	1	0-2	2
Elmig, g.	2	1-5	5
Pauler, g.	0	0-0	0
Total	14	5-23	23

Score by periods:

East Berlin 6 8 15 5-34
Dover 7 6 2 18-33

Girls' Game

G.	F.	Pts.	
Alleman, f.	5	2-12	12
March, f.	5	2-12	12
Gladfelter, f.	4	4-12	12
Spangler, f.	1	0-2	2
Ebersole, g.	0	0-0	0
Wagner, g.	0	0-0	0
Myer, g.	0	0-0	0
Wiley, g.	0	0-0	0
Mummert, g.	0	0-0	0
Danner, g.	0	0-0	0
Total	15	8-38	38

Score by periods:

East Berlin 11 11 10 6-38
Dover 2 8 6 7-23

NAZI BLOCKED FROM BUDAPEST

By DANIEL DE LUCE

Moscow, Jan. 10 (AP)—Red Army assaults within Budapest were reported increasing in fury today while German relief columns, now menaced by a vast outflanking drive north of the Danube bend, had failed in attempts to break through to the besieged garrison.

In the 13th day of street fighting, the Russians claimed control of more than half of the once beautiful Hungarian capital.

Northwest beyond the Danube Marshal Rodion V. Malinovsky's armor and infantry were making rapid strides toward Komarom, northbank communications hub which was one of the springboards for the German rescue offensive.

In advances of three miles or more, his troops yesterday captured the riverbank town of Taza, little more than three and one-half miles east of Komarom, and half a dozen other communities to the northeast in a wheeling movement that could carry around the big German base and on toward Bratislava, the Austrian border and eventually to Vienna, 87 miles away.

The Russian communique said the Germans were throwing in strong reinforcements to stem this westward Soviet tide, but it declared the Red Army still was advancing.

OATH ON STRETCHER

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Stretchers bearers will carry Rep. Edward Duffy, Jr., of Philadelphia, into the state House of Representatives next Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. so he can take his oath of office. A sheet metal worker, Duffy had both legs broken when a piece of heavy equipment fell on him at a war plant.

MUSIAL GETS ORDERS

Donora, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—Stan Musial, St. Louis Cardinal top-ranking slugger, said last night he has been ordered to report to Pittsburgh January 19 for induction into the Navy.

DELONE DOWNS HARRISBURG 5

A field goal scored in last minute of play enabled the Delone Catholic high school basketball team of McSherrystown to win over the Harrisburg Catholic high five by a 32-30 margin in a game played at McSherrystown Tuesday night.

Coach Joe Settina's Harrisburg Catholic high team had held the lead since half-time when the last minute score sent the Delone Catholic high five ahead.

The Harrisburg reserves defeated the Delone reserves, 37-27.

Varsity Game

Player	G.	F.	Pts.
Mohar, f.	5	0-10	0
Pease, f.	1	0-2	2
Lutze, f.	1	0-2	2
Nazy, f.	0	0-0	0
Blazina, c.	6	1-13	13
Sanford, g.	0	0-0	0
Sertino, g.	1	1-3	3
Totals	14	2-30	30

Delone

Player	G.	F.	Pts.
Sneeringer, f.	1	0-2	2
P. Overbaugh, f.	0	1-1	1
Smith, f.	0	0-0	0
W. Noel, f.	3	1-7	7
Lawrence, c.	2	2-6	6
Keller, g.	5	1-11	11
B. Overbaugh, g.	0	1-1	1
H. Noel, g.	1	2-4	4
Totals	12	8-32	32

Referees: Weaver and Robertson.

Reserve Game

Player	G.	F.	Pts.
Reagan, f.	0	0-0	0
Mazay, f.	6	3-15	15
Jiras, c.	2	0-4	4
Vergot, c.	0	0-0	0
Rados, g.	1	2-4	4
Benkovic, g.	0	0-0	0
Ofak, g.	1	3-5	5
Totals	14	9-37	37

Delone

Player	G.	F.	Pts.
Prendergast, f.	0	1-1	1
Erady, f.	0	0-0	0
Conrad, f.	1	0-2	2
Cligan, c.	3	1-7	7
Rider, g.	1	0-2	2
Krepps, g.	0	0-0	0
Colgan, g.	7	1-15	15
Totals	12	3-27	27

Score by periods:

Harrisburg 6 6 22 3-37
Delone 5 5 6 11-27

Says Baseball Is Big Morale Builder

St. Louis, Jan. 10 (AP)—Baseball, America's national pastime, provides a vital uplift to the morale of both servicemen and civilians and should be continued in 1945, Robert E. Hannegan, Democratic national chairman, ardent sports enthusiast, said today in an interview.

"That's my personal opinion which in no way is official," stated the former St. Louis university athletic star.

"Baseball is different from other professional sports," he continued. "Wherever three youngsters can find a stick of wood and a rag ball, there will be a game started. It's truly the national pastime."

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RADIO PROGRAMS

New York, Jan. 10 (AP)—The post-war radio set will not be any "miracle" receiver, but it will do a much better job than models previously made, mainly because of tubes improved under stress of war. This industry opinion was expressed today through its spokesman, the Radio Manufacturers association.

The association, in decrying the possibilities of miracles, put it this way: "Unseen power will be built into post-war radios, making them better but not miracle receivers, and more flexible and compact."

WEDNESDAY
6:00-WFAP-454M
4:00-Stage Wife
4:30-Edie Dallas
4:35-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Widder Brown
4:50-Elmer Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Serenade
6:30-Sports
6:45-L. Thomas
7:00-Perry Como
7:15-Tanquerony
7:30-Kath Oren
7:45-Kallenborn
8:00-Norths
8:30-Carl Bruce
9:00-Eddie Cantor
9:30-Mr. D. A.
10:00-Jay Kyser
11:00-News
11:30-Unannounced

710k-WOR-422M
4:30-News
4:45-Vocalist
4:50-Foot Forum
5:00-Uncle Don
5:15-Chick Carter
5:30-Superman
5:45-Tom Mix
6:00-S. Moseley
6:15-Ramona
6:30-News
6:45-Sports
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Top This
7:45-Edie Dallas
8:00-Vocalist
8:15-Perry Como
8:30-News
8:45-Edie Dallas
9:00-News
9:15-Edie Dallas
9:30-Clara Lee
9:45-Edie Dallas
10:00-News
10:15-Talk Radio
10:30-Symphonette
11:00-News
11:15-Edie Dallas
11:30-Orchestra

770k-WJZ-685M
4:00-News
4:30-For Me
4:45-Off Record
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Capt. M'Night
6:00-News
6:15-Whose War?
6:30-Vocalist
6:45-Edie Dallas
7:00-News
7:15-V. Sheen
7:30-Lone Ranger
7:45-Edie Dallas
8:00-News
8:15-Lum. Abner
8:30-Best Girls
9:00-Keep Up
9:30-Spot Hand
10:00-Drama
10:15-Edie Dallas
10:30-News
10:45-Edie Dallas
11:00-News
11:15-Songs
11:30-Brown Orch.

880k-WABC-675M
4:00-Service Time
4:15-Off Record
4:30-Story
4:45-Off Record
5:00-Sing Along
5:15-Vocalist
5:30-Edie Dallas
5:45-Wilderness
6:00-News
6:15-Murray Arch
6:30-Encore
6:45-World Today
7:00-J. Kirkwood
7:15-News
7:30-Easy Aces
8:00-Jack Carson
8:30-J. Herscholt
9:00-F. Simira
9:30-Quiz
10:00-Gret Moments
10:30-Let go
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist

THURSDAY
8:00 a.m.-News
8:15-Cook
8:30-Shopping
8:45-M. Arlen
9:00-News
9:15-Tales
9:30-T. Life
10:00-Valliant Lady
10:15-World Light
10:30-E. Winter
10:45-Bachelor
11:00-Amanda
11:15-Edie Dallas
11:30-Horizon
11:45-Aunt Jenny
12:00-Kate Smith
12:15-Big Sister
12:30-Helen Trent
1:00-Edie Dallas
1:15-Life Can Be
1:30-M. Perkins
1:45-News
2:00-Goldbergs
2:15-Joyce Jordan
2:30-Chue
2:45-P. Mason
3:00-Mary Martin
3:15-Tina, Tim
3:30-High Places
4:00-News
4:15-Service Time
4:30-Story
4:45-Off Record
5:00-Landl. Trio
5:15-Vocalist
5:30-Wilderness
5:45-News
6:15-Pan American
6:45-World Today
7:00-J. Kirkwood
7:15-Music
7:30-Mr. Keen
8:00-Supreme
8:30-Death Valley
9:00-We, People
9:30-Archie
10:00-First Time

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8:00 a.m.-News
8:15-Your Life
8:30-Nan Craig
9:00-Bkfst. Club
10:00-True Story
10:30-Vocalist
10:45-Listening
11:00-Sardi's
11:15-Edie Dallas
11:30-Horizon
11:45-Vocalist
12:00-Glamour
12:30-Edie Dallas
12:45-Farm-Home
1:00-Baukhage
1:15-Exchange
1:45-Galen Drake
2:00-News
2:15-Galen Drake
2:30-Ladies
2:45-Vocalist
3:00-Edie Dallas
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8:00-Town Meet
8:30-Spot Hand
9:00-Fred Waring
10:00-March of Time
10:30-News
11:30-N. Gordon

710k-WOR-422M
8:00-News
8:15-Aunt Jennie
8:30-Breakfast
9:00-Edie Dallas
9:15-Crosby
9:30-A. McCann
10:00-News
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George Mikan Tops Courtmen; 209 Pts.

New York, Jan. 10 (AP)—Swishing the nets for 80 field goals and 49 charity throws, big George Mikan of DePaul university, Chicago, tops the national college basketball high scoring race with 209 points, an Associated Press tabulation showed today.

The 6:09 DePaul giant, who has sparked DePaul to cage prominence, holds a 32-point lead over the 177 compiled by Bill Henry of Rice in the southwest conference. Ernie Calverley of the never-stop-breaking Rhode Island Staters is third with 176 points although he has played only seven games compared to nine for Henry and 10 for Mikan.

Henry has rimmed 68 field goals and 41 fouls to Calverley's 70 double-deckers and 36 one-pointers. Calverley is defending title-holder having scored 594 points in 20 games a year ago.

MAROONS HAND CARLISLE HIGH 41-21 LACING

Gettysburg high school's cagers served notice Tuesday evening they must be considered a strong contender for the Southern Pennsylvania Interscholastic basketball championship by walloping Carlisle high here 41-21.

Coach "Hen" Bream's lads were a vast improvement over their previous showings against York high. The team passed, shot and controlled the ball in great style while the starting aggregation was in action. Defensively the Maroons were near perfect, the visitors being able to score only when reserves started to make their appearance. Coach Bream used his entire varsity squad.

Long shots by Fidler and Eisenhart shortly after the opening whistle sounded sent the Maroons out in front and they were never in danger thereafter. The air-tight Gettysburg defense kept Coach Hendrickson's boys without a tally in the first period while the locals built up a 12-0 margin.

Visitors Score
Gettysburg ran its lead to 18-0 in the second period before McCoy slipped away and looped a short toss and foul after more than three minutes had elapsed. At half time the Bream-men led 23-7.

Coach Bream re-inserted his varsity into the lineup in the third period and the Maroon lead rocketed to 38-10 at the end of the round. Carlisle picked up more than half of its tallies in the final period against reserves.

Ogden and Eisenhart played particularly good ball beneath the backboards while Gorman, Fidler and Heintzelman contributed some neat passing and floor work throughout.

Jayvees Win
Coach Fred Haehnen's jayvees also crashed into the victory column for the first time by smothering the Carlisle jayvees 47-24. Carlisle took a 7-2 lead in the first minutes of the opening quarter but the locals quickly rallied and led 25-12 at half time.

Chambersburg will be met here Friday in the opening league tilt.

Gettysburg

G.	F.	Pts.
Gorman, f	4	2-3 10
Heintzelman, f	0	0-0 0
Saylor, f	0	1-2 1
Sachs, f	0	0-0 0
Ogden, c	7	0-1 14
Rasmussen, c	0	0-0 0
Fidler, g	4	1-4 9
Eisenhart, g	2	0-0 4
Haehnen, g	0	0-0 0
Epley, g	0	0-0 0
Moyer, g	0	3-4 3
Thrush, g	0	0-0 0
Total	17	7-14 41

Carlisle

G.	F.	Pts.
McCoy, f	2	3-4 7
Blosser, f	0	1-3 1
Burkholder, f	1	0-0 2
Mullen, f	0	0-0 0
Pickel, c	0	1-3 1
Garber, c	0	3-4 3
Miller, g	2	2-3 6
Green, g	0	0-0 0
Snyder, g	0	0-0 0
Lyster, g	0	1-3 1
Total	5	11-17 21

Score by periods:
Gettysburg 12 11 15 3-41
Carlisle 0 7 3 11-21

Referees: Morgan and Brubaker.

Scrub Game

G.	F.	Pts.
R. Hess, f	2	0-1 4
Hand, f	2	1-1 5
Hershey, f	0	0-0 0
McLaughlin, f	2	1-1 5
Hockey, f	1	0-0 2
Redding, f	2	0-0 4
J. Hess, c	2	1-2 5
Cole, c	1	0-0 2
F. Rodgers, g	3	1-1 7
Mountain, g	3	1-1 7
Sheffer, g	1	0-0 2
Taylor, g	1	1-1 3
Keneey, g	1	0-0 2
Fair, g	0	0-0 0
Cromwell, g	0	0-0 0
Total	21	5-8 47

Carlisle

G.	F.	Pts.
Waugaman, f	0	0-0 0
Kiehl, f	6	1-2 13
Lowry, f	0	1-3 1
Heger, f	0	1-2 1
Hare, c	1	1-3 3
Nickelson, g	1	3-5 5
Royer, g	0	0-0 0
Madison, g	0	1-1 1
Shetter, g	0	0-0 0
Total	8	8-16 24

Score by periods:
Gettysburg 8 17 9 13-47
Carlisle 8 4 8 4-24

Referees: Buehler and Shriver.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
Brooklyn — Maxie Berger 148, Montreal, outpointed Solomon Stewart, 143, Providence, 8. Bobby Brown 162½, Philadelphia, and Coolidge Miller, 166, Brooklyn, drew, 8.

White Plains, N. Y. — Vic Pignataro, 140½, New York, outpointed Benny Cartagena, 139½, New York, 8. Maurice Lavigne, 148½, Montreal, outpointed Jackie Connors, 146, Newark, 6.

Jersey City — Don Amoroso, 135, Jersey City, outpointed Joey Peralta, 136, Tamaqua, Pa., 10.

Akron, O. — Ira Hughes, 171, Pittsburgh, outpointed Tommy Woodward, 173, Columbus, 10.

Beauxite, diamonds and gold are mined in British Guiana.

Bullets To Meet Medicos Tonight

Gettysburg college will inaugurate its 1945 cage season this evening by meeting the Carlisle Barracks quintet on the college floor. The game will start promptly at 8 o'clock. No preliminary game will be played.

The Medicos added another victory to their impressive list Monday evening by defeating the White Hill school dribblers 48-30. Doremus and Morgan will be the officials for tonight's tilt.

EAST BERLIN WINS 2 TILTS

East Berlin high school captured two of three basketball games played Tuesday evening with Dover high at East Berlin.

In the varsity boys' game the East Berlin boys staved off a big last-period rally by Dover to edge out a 34-33 victory.

The East Berlin girls had little trouble in winning their game 38-25. Dover downed the East Berlin boy reserves 17-16 in the third game of the evening.

The box scores:

G.	F.	Pts.
East Berlin	1	0 2
Freyl, f	1	0 2
Himes, f	1	0 2
Gordon, f	0	0 0
Wolf, c	4	0 8
Christer, g	3	1 7
Billett, g	7	1 15
Total	16	2 34

Dover

G.	F.	Pts.
Little, f	5	2 12
Wintemeyer, f	0	0 0
Hoffman, f	2	1 5
Davis, f	0	0 0
Harbaugh, c	0	1 1
Leckrone, c	3	0 6
Meisenheimer, g	1	0 2
Small, g	0	0 0
Strausbaugh, g	1	0 2
Emig, g	2	1 5
Pauler, g	0	0 0
Total	14	5 33

Score by periods:
East Berlin 6 8 15 5-34
Dover 7 6 2 18-33

Girls' Game

G.	F.	Pts.
Alleman, f	5	2 12
March, f	5	2 12
Cladefelter, f	4	4 12
Spangler, f	1	0 2
Ebersole, c	0	0 0
Wagner, g	0	0 0
Myer, g	0	0 0
Wiley, g	0	0 0
Mummert, g	0	0 0
Danner, g	0	0 0
Total	15	8 38

Dover

G.	F.	Pts.
Border, f	1	0 2
Byers, f	2	4 8
Wolfert, f	5	1 11
Morgart, f	1	0 2
Leibenknecht, g	0	0 0
Quickel, g	0	0 0
L. Gross, g	0	0 0
Stambaugh, g	0	0 0
Yanke, g	0	0 0
Langford, g	0	0 0
Total	9	5 23

Score by periods:
East Berlin 11 11 10 6-38
Dover 2 8 6 7-23

NAZI BLOCKED FROM BUDAPEST

By DANIEL DE LUCE
Moscow, Jan. 10 (AP)—Red Army assaults within Budapest were reported increasing in fury today while German relief columns, now menaced by a vast outflanking drive north of the Danube bend, had failed in attempts to break through to the besieged garrison.

In the 13th day of street fighting, the Russians claimed control of more than half of the once beautiful Hungarian capital.

Northwest beyond the Danube Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's armor and infantry were making rapid strides toward Komarom, northbank communications hub which was one of the springboards for the German rescue offensive.

In advances of three miles or more, his troops yesterday captured the riverbank town of Iza, little more than three and one-half miles east of Komarom, and half a dozen other communities to the northeast in a wheeling movement that could carry around the big German base and on toward Bratislava, the Austrian border and eventually to Vienna, 87 miles away.

The Russian communiqué said the Germans were throwing in strong reinforcements to stem this westward Soviet tide, but it declared the Red Army still was advancing.

OATH ON STRETCHER

Harrisburg, Jan. 10 (AP)—Stretchers bearers will carry Rep. Edward Duffy, Jr., of Philadelphia, into the state House of Representatives next Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. so he can take his oath of office. A sheet metal worker, Duffy had both legs broken when a piece of heavy equipment fell on him at a war plant.

MUSIAL GETS ORDERS

Donora, Pa., Jan. 10 (AP)—Stan Musial, St. Louis Cardinal top-ranking slugger, said last night he has been ordered to report to Pittsburgh January 19 for induction into the Navy.

DELONE DOWNS HARRISBURG 5

A field goal scored in last minute of play enabled the Delone Catholic high school basketball team of McSherrystown to win over the Harrisburg Catholic high five by a 32-30 margin in a game played at McSherrystown Tuesday night.

Coach Joe Settina's Harrisburg Catholic high team had held the lead since half-time when the last minute score sent the Delone Catholic high five ahead.

The Harrisburg reserves defeated the Delone reserves, 37-27.

Varsity Game

G.	F.	Pts.
Mohar, f	5	0 10
Pease, f	1	0 2
Lutze, f	1	0 2
Nazy, f	0	0 0
Blazina, c	6	1 13
Sanford, g	0	0 0
Settino, g	1	1 3
Totals	14	2 30

Delone

G.	F.	Pts.
Sneeringer, f	1	0 2
P. Overbaugh, f	0	1 1
Smith, f	0	0 0
W. Noel, f	3	1 7
Lawrence, c	2	2 6
Kefer, g	5	1 11
B. Overbaugh, g	0	1 1
H. Noel, g	1	2 4
Totals	12	8 32

Score by periods:
Harrisburg 6 13 7 4-30
Delone 11 4 9 8-32

Referees: Weaver and Robertson.

Reserve Game

Harrisburg

G.	F.	Pts.
Spec, f	4	1 9
Reagan, f	0	0 0
Mazay, f	6	3 15
Jiras, c	2	0 4
Verget, c	0	0 0
Rados, g	1	2 4
Benkovic, g	0	0 0
Ofak, g	1	3 5
Totals	14	9 37

Delone

G.	F.	Pts.
Prendergast, f	0	1 1
Prady, f	0	0 0
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"Baseball is different from other professional sports," he continued. "Wherever three youngsters can find a stick of wood and a rag ball, there will be a game started. It's truly the national pastime."

"I believe there is nothing that will give American workers a greater lift than to be able to go to an occasional ball game. The boys in the armed forces are hungry for baseball news."

Racing Officials Remain At Work